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metre-tall white spruce from Fox Point in Lunenburg County that belongs to Floyd and Elaine Shatford.

ter John MacDonell and about 230 students from Aspotogan Elementary and Shatford Memorial schools will participate in a special tree-cutting ceremony.



lice arrested four men and one woman and seized between 250 and 300 pounds of marijuana, as well as a substantial amount of

# of pot seized



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PAUL MCLEOD
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Police seized up to 300 pounds of dried marijuana . worth more than \$1 million at a makeshift processing plant in Eastern Passage Thursday.

Five people were arrested during the afternoon sting in the 1300 block of Main Road.

"What was unique about this is it was a processing area. It was in a garage behind a residence under construction," said RCMP Cpl. Joe Taplin. "When they went in at 2:30 there was actually five people — four males and a female actually doing the processing: Cutting the marijuana and bagging it, getting it

ready to be shipped out." At a typical price of \$10 per gram of pot, the amount seized has a street value of more than \$1 mil-

Police also seized a large amount of cash, drug paraphernalia and ammunition on the premises, but no firearms. Officers found 54 rounds of 9-mm ammo and 392 rounds of .38 special.

The males, aged 43, 43, 37 and 33, and the 36-yearold woman will appear at Dartmouth provincial court Friday morning to face various drug-related charges.

After the suspects were taken away, police crammed garbage bags and plastic storage containers full of marijuana into vans.

# Video game developers to bring 60 new iobs to Halifax

LONGTAIL A leading video game company is opening shop in Halifax, bringing dozens of new jobs.

Longtail Studios, part of Ubisoft Entertainment SA, the world's fourth-largest video game publisher, an-nounced yesterday the 60 new positions for producers, designers, modellers, programmers and data managers will average \$60,000, benefits included, and will be phased in over five years.

Longtail, which is headquartered in New York and has offices in Quebec and P.E.I., makes character-driven games with a "broader range" of emotions, said president Gerard . Guillemot.

"We think that Nova Scotia is really well structured in the training that is given to the students here to cope with these new games that we think are the future," he said.

"The idea was to go to places where we would be able to work long term with local communities and universities and where the 'big guys' would not be there already. Nova Scotia is a great place for that."

Percy Paris, minister for economic and rural development, said the province offered Longtail \$1,077,397 in five years of payroll rebates via Nova Scotia Business Inc.

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# Trailor Park actors starring in new show

The Trailer Park Boys are reuniting, though not as the Trailer Park Boys. Jean-Paul Trembley, Mike Smith and Rob Wells, left, will star together in their new Showcase series The Drunk and On Drugs Happy Funtime Hour (working title). The show is described as a mix of narrative and sketch comedy in the vein of Monty Python's Flying Circus. The men will play a variety of different characters. Six episodes have been greenlit for air in 2010. METRO HALIFAX

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# Man sought in human trafficking case

CRIME Police are searching for a man allegedly involved in the first human trafficking ring uncovered in Atlantic Cana-

Police charged Cortinel James Downey, 25, with human trafficking and living off the avails of prosti-

tution on Nov. 5, but so far they haven't been able to find him. Now



putting out Cortinel James a call to the Downey public to

help the find Downey, who has ties to both the Halifax area and Niagara.

This stems from Operation Intercede, a sting in July involving 25 warrants in 15 residences throughout HRM. Over 60 charges were laid against 15 people, including what was believed to be the first ever charge for human trafficking in the region.

Downey was not charged at that time but police say their investigation of him stemmed from Operation Intercede.

Downey is considered armed and dangerous. PAUL MCLEOD/METRO HALIFAX

# Slain woman's family watch accused in court

Victim's brother ejected after outburst

MONIQUE MUISE

Relatives of a Lower Sackville woman found slain earlier this week sobbed openly as the man accused of her murder was brought before a judge on Thursday.

Rose Marie Brown's son, aunt and brother were among the people who showed up at Dartmouth provincial court to watch as Kevin Glen Downing, 46, appeared to face one count of second-degree murder in connection with Brown's death.

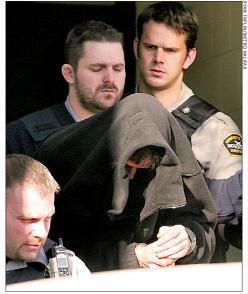
Downing, a carpenter by trade with no criminal record, sat quietly and without expression as Judge Alanna Murphy ordered that he be remanded in custody until his next court appearance on Nov.

At one point, he turned his head and looked toward the spectators, prompting jeers from members of the victim's family

"Don't you f\*\*\*ing look over here," said Brown's brother, John Edwards. He was promptly escorted from the courtroom.

"I don't understand how he could sit there and hold his head up," said Edwards as he stood outside in the hallway. "It's unreal ... I feel bad for his family as well, because they're going to be at a loss too."

Brown's body was dis-covered inside an apart-



Kevin Downing wears his jacket over his head while being escorted out of Dartmouth provincial court Thursday. He is charged with second-degree murder in the death of Rose Marie Brown.

## "I don't understand how he could sit there and hold his head up."

John Edwards, victim's brother

ment at 533 Beaver Bank Rd. on Tuesday morning. Police have not said how she died. Edwards said he works for a developer in Sackville and actually drove by the scene four times that morning.

"I saw a forensic unit there and said, 'My God, someone must have died in there,' not knowing that it was my sister in there.' Lydia Cain, Brown's aunt by marriage and the legal guardian of her son, David, said she had met Downing on several occasions and that he seemed like "a normal person."

A date for a preliminary inquiry will be set at Downing's next court appearance.

# Medical official trusts healthy individuals to wait for vaccine

## Flu **Outbreak**

H1N1 Nova Scotia's chief medical officer says he's not worried that the province's supply of H1N1 vaccine is ending up in the wrong arms.

Dr. Robert Strang said esterday that while that yesterday health officials are not asking for any proof that peo-ple are dealing with a chronic illness before giving them the shot, he trusts that healthy people will do the right thing and wait their turn.

"We fully expect that the vast majority of people are going to understand who is in the priority groups and respect that," said Strang. "Will some people say they're in a risk group and not be in a risk group? Yeah, but I don't believe it's going to be a huge amount."

Strang also responded to reports that several clinics across the province were offering the vaccine to anyone who wanted it, saying he wasn't aware of any clinics that had made that decision, and that it would be contrary to the Health Department's current orders

The latest numbers released by the Department of Health on Thursday indicate that the H1N1 virus is continuing to spread throughout the province, with every district health authority except Cape Breton now reporting widespread infection.

A total of 37 people were hospitalized in Nova Scotia with the virus last week. and nine of them were admitted to intensive care

of people hospitalized with the H<sub>1</sub>N<sub>1</sub> virus in Nova Scotia

last week, according to the province's chief medical officer. One of those patients died last Friday.

units, said Strang. One of those patients, a woman in her 50s from the Antigo-

nish area, died last Friday. According to Strang, an additional 70,000 doses of vaccine arrived in the province on Tuesday, and some doctors' offices will also be receiving the vaccine starting this week.

"But people shouldn't expect that every doctor is going to have vaccine in their office," he warned. "We'll need a much larger supply of vaccine before we can get it distributed throughout the physician community.'

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**Blogs** Sexcetera counsels a reader on waiting on the Lord to sor out his love life and Global Peasant has a new recipe for borscht



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Johns selected at new HRM deputy mayor

Halifax Regional Municipality has a new deputy mayor. Coun. Brad Johns (Middle-Upper Sackville) was chosen by council on Tuesday night to replace Coun. David Hendsbee. Johns, who was elected to council in November 2000, beat out Coun. Jim Smith (Albro Lake-Harbourview) for the position. METRO HALIFAX

# A twice-in-a-lifetime chance?

'88 torchbearer to run with flame, along with hockey star Crosby, teen wrestler

JON TATTRIE for Metro Halifax

# VANCOUVER 2010 **Games**

For most people, carrying the Olympic torch is a once-in-a-lifetime experience, but Julie Caissie is limbering up for the second time. She carried the flame in Calgary in 1988 and will do it again on Cole Harbour Road with the Vancouver fire on Nov. 18.

The 51-year-old logged onto the relay website daily to enter the competition, but was stumped when she reached the essay round. Her daughter Lindsay provided the spark for I Have a Confession to Make, her torch-winning treatise.

"It said I no longer get up at six in the morning to go running, I can no longer take on the provincial 200-metre hurdle champion and win, and I look at the clothes I wore when I was athlete of the year and can't figure out how I ever fit into them," she recalls with a laugh.

Now, she's a "mother of sports," one of the parents who sit in rinks for hours watching their children fall 1,000 times, "just to make sure they don't miss



Grade 12 student Sarah MacLeod poses for a photo outside Halifax West high school on Thursday. MacLeod has been selected as an Olympic torchbearer and will take part in the relay on Nov. 20.

the first time they do it," says Caissie, who owns the Cole Harbour Canadian Tire.

It convinced the flame keepers.

The former figure skater won't be the only Cole Harbour skater carrying the torch next week: Sydney Crosby will take a shift the same day.

Halifax West High School student Sarah MacLeod is more used to wrestling with opponents than fire, as the 17-yearold "sports minister" for the school also grapples for the Warriors.

"People assume I figure skate or do ballet. When I say I wrestle, they laugh at me," the five-foot-three athlete says. No one was laughing when she won the provincial silver medal

last season.

She's pretty excited about carry the Olympic torch, too. "I didn't think it was something that would ever be possible for me to do," she says. She'll carry the torch on Citadel Hill on Nov 20.

# Man dies in single-vehicle accident

MIDDLE SACKVILLE One man is dead after a single-vehicle crash in Middle Sackville Wednesday evening.

A 31-year-old man was driving along Highway 1 towards Mount Uniacke when he lost control of his vehicle on a curve. The vehicle crossed over the centre line, onto a gravel shoulder and eventually rolled into a ditch. The man was pronounced dead at the scene. He was not wearing a seatbelt.

"Part of the ongoing investigation is we're trying to determine if speed or alcohol played a factor. But we'd have to wait for the medical examiner's report to come back first," said RCMP Corp. Joe Taplin.

The highway was closed for about three hours as the RCMP traffic collision analyst investigated the scene. Police interviewed one person who witnessed the CTASH.

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### **News** in brief

TIDAL NS Power and OpenHydro started the first commercial-scale in-stream tidal turbine in the Bay of Fundy Thursday. It took seven days to move the 400-tonne, one-megawatt device from Halifax to its new home on the seabed three kilometres off the shore of Black Rock. The turbine rotates with the tides, collecting data and producing energy.





Armstrong guits as PC president

Scott Armstrong is stepping down as president of the Progressive Conservative Party of Nova Scotia. METRO HALIFAX

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Transportation Minister Bill Estabrooks holds his one-year-old granddaughter Ella as she gets a close look at the Operation Red Nose mascot at Province House yesterday. Operation Red Nose is looking for volunteer drivers, co-ordinators and phone operators to help out over the holiday.

# Operation Red Nose targets party people

Team will ferry home inebriated holiday revellers

JON TATTRIE for Metro Halifax

Operation Red Nose geared up for the holiday season yesterday with a call for volunteers to help ferry over-partied people home.

A three-person Red Nose team drives tipsy revellers home in their own car, for free, to combat drunk driving. Donations are welcome and diverted to charity.

Corinne MacLellan, the Halifax co-ordinator, said Halifax, Sydney and Truro had 688 volunteers last year, driving 1,730 passengers home over eight nights. Most of those were in Halifax, which aims to recruit 300 volunteers.

"We're on track for that, but we're always happy to have more volunteers." she

### **Contact info**

• Operation Red Nose starts Nov. 27 and runs Fridays and Saturdays until Dec. 19. Visit Operationrednose.com or call 481-RIDE (7433) to volunteer — or to get a ride.

said. "By midnight, the phones just go right off the hook."

Alan Spruin signed up for the fifth straight year. He works for insurance company RSA, which generally covers one night a year.

"I just thought it was such a worthwhile cause and it really is a lot of fun," he said. He's got extra motivation this year: a brandnew baby boy. "It brings on a whole new element to helbing someone else have

a great holiday," he said, smiling.

"Driving drunk people home is actually a lot of

"Everybody is in such great spirits. Taking advantage of something like this, they have a social conscience. You meet a lot of great people," he said. "Before you know it, it's 2 or 3 in the morning and you're going home and you just feel really good."

NDP MLA Bill Estabrooks

NDP MLĀ Bill Estabrooks said that in his time as a school principal, he had given far too many eulogies for young men killed in drunk-driving accidents. He noted one in four road deaths are alcohol related and lambasted drivers who risk killing friends, family and strangers by making the "stupid" decision to get behind the wheel after getting behind a few drinks.

# News in brief REOPENING A Pictou County

REOPENING A Pictou County lumber mill is re-opening a year after it shut down. Nova Scotia offered Ligni Bel in Scotsburn a \$3-million loan guarantee to secure an operating line of credit from its commercial lenders.

FUNDING The Annapolis-Digby region is getting \$65,000 from the federal government to come up with a new economic plan for the area, it was announced Thursdav.

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# More complaints in 2009: Ombudsman

POLITICS The Office of the Ombudsman of Nova Scotia has impacted changes in government policies, procedures and actions over the past year, according to the office's annual report.

The report, released Thursday, said the ombudsman addressed a total of 2,170 complaints, slightly more than the previous year. Twenty inquiries related to disclosure of wrongdoing were also reviewed. Ombudsman Dwight Bishop said his office works collaboratively with government to resolve the majority of complaints.

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Jazz reports profit, revenues dropped in third quarter

Jazz, the regional carrier spun off from Air Canada, said both its profit and revenues dropped in the third quarter ending Sept. 30. Jazz reported income of \$25.3 million, down 20 per cent from the same quarter last year. THE CANADIAN PRESS

# Cape Breton mayor faces legal ethics complaint

# Allegation made after CBC interview that civic leader, a lawyer, breached professional conduct

Mayor John Morgan of the Cape Breton Regional Municipality will appear before a Nova Scotia Barristers' Society hearing on Nov. 20 to face an allegation of professional misconduct.

The mayor, who is a lawyer, said Thursday the charge is based on a complaint to the society and arises from remarks he made in a CBC radio interview about a court ruling on the constitutional legal action that has been launched by the municipality.

Darrell Pink, executive director of the barristers' society, said he would not provide any details about the substance of the allegation but he noted that the hearing is open to the

public. The society says in a notice on its website that its hearing committee will deal with allegations Morgan breached provisions of a legal ethics and professional conduct handbook for lawyers.

The society says, specifically, it is alleged the mayor failed in his duty to encourage public respect for justice and to uphold and try to improve the administration of justice

The municipality has been fighting for more equalization money, arguing the province is shortchanging it by millions of dollars each year by not fulfilling its obligations under the Constitution. But Nova Scotia Supreme Court Justice John D. Mur-

phy handed them a setback in April 2008 when he ruled their argument did not present a justifiable constitutional issue.

Morgan said Thursday that, in his remarks dur-ing the CBC interview, he was saying the municipality should appeal all the way to the Supreme Court of Canada and that it has to get outside of the court

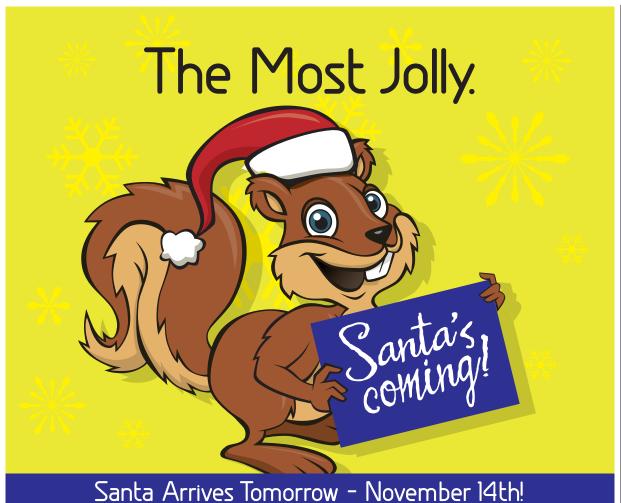
system in Nova Scotia.

The mayor said the initial complaint to the barristers' society apparently involved his remarks that the Nova Scotia courts aren't "tree shakers."

Morgan said Thursday he didn't mean to insult or offend anybody and he has informed the barristers' society of that.

Police arrest two teens

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# in robbery **DARTMOUTH** Two teenagers

were arrested after an armed robbery in Dartmouth Thursday. Two males entered Lovetts General Store on Highway 7 in Westphal at noon and demanded money from the clerk. The pair fled the scene with an undisclosed amount of money.

RCMP responded and arrested a 14-year-old male on Riley Road and a 15year-old male on Cherry Brook Road an hour later. A police dog tracked down a handgun in a bush near the first arrest.

The youths remain in custody and police say the investigation is continuing.

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## Gammon's 3rd-quarter loss doubles to \$7M

MINING Gammon Gold Inc. says its third-quarter loss doubled from a year ago to \$7 million as revenues from its mining operations in Mexico weakened.

The Halifax-based miner said the loss for the three months ended Sept. 30 was equal to six cents per share, compared with a loss of \$3.5 million, or three cents per share a year earlier.

Revenue from mining operations fell to \$47.9 million from \$48.3 million as both gold and silver sales declined, the company said. "With operations

running well at both Ocampo and El Cubo and the Ocampo underground steadily ramping up to leverage the benefits of the increased mill capacity, the fourth quarter should be the first of many quarters where we see continued growth in production and reducing operating costs," said president and chief executive Rene Marion in a release. THE CANADIAN PRESS

A three-year-old cow bred on P.E.I. has sold at auction for \$1.2 million. Eastside Lewisdale Gold Missy was bred in Frenchfort by Bloyce Thompson. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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# Military takes action on suicidal soldiers

Rapid-reaction team of mental health pros in works

The military is creating a rapid reaction force of mental health workers to investigate suicidal soldiers and better treat psychological problems in

This, plus an overhaul of the way the Canadian Forces keeps track of retired or reserve force soldiers who kill themselves, forms the backbone of a new strategy for combatting suicides that was presented this week to Gen. Walter Natynczyk, chief of defence staff.

It is the defence department's attempt to bring mental health problems in the force to the forefront and remove the stigma of-

### **Probe**

 The official probe known as a board of inquiry, is the most thorough accounting that the force does of a death or major military inci-

ten attached to soldiers who seek help for psychological problems related to the traumas of war or because of underlying mental health issues.

It's also a way to more quickly address some of the gaps in the way the military deals with members at risk of taking their own lives.

Just last month, the mother of Pte. Frederic Couture, who lost his foot in December 2006 to a roadside bomb, said she was dumbstruck to find out that her son had tried to kill himself on the battlefield, minutes after suffering his injury, before successfully taking his life on Nov, 14, 2007.

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Linda Lagimoniere said she only learned from an official investigation completed long after his death that there were early signs he may have been suicidal.

"When you finally find out what happened, go, 'My God, why did they never tell me?,'" she said.

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**GROWTH** British Columbia will top the country in economic growth next year in large part because of a gold-plated boost the province is getting from hosting the Winter Olympics, the Conference Board of Canada says.

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## Vancouver Firefight



A firefighter directs water on hot spots following a three-alarm fire in Vancouver on Thursday. At least five businesses in a heritage area were destroyed by the fire that broke out just before 4 a.m. Firefighters couldn't contain the blaze as it raced through false ceilings above the single-storey strip of restaurants and offices. No one was hurt.

# Courts hears ski jumpers' case

**OLYMPICS** A B.C. Court of Appeal is hearing arguments about why female ski jumpers should have the right to compete at the 2010 Winter Games.

Fourteen women are appealing a lower court ruling that found that while their rights were being violated because men can

compete at the Games and they can't, the Vancouver Olympic organizing committee doesn't have the power to change the International Olympic Committee decision.

The president of Women's Ski Jumping USA, Deedee Corradini, says despite the fact the appeal hearing is coming just three months before the Games, there is plenty of time to get the women's event onto the 2010 program. She says Vancouver organizers have had more than a year to develop a contingency plan in case the women were victori-THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Couple sue police, province over aboriginal protest

The OPP failed in their duty to protect citizens from "unlawful conduct" by aboriginal protesters, a court in Hamilton has been told. A couple in nearby Caledonia are suing the province, police and several senior police officials for millions in damages. THE CANADIAN PRESS

# On Saturday, be aware of this killer

**HEATHER BUCHAN** For Metro Canada

### Saturday is the 18th-annual World Diabetes Day.

It's an international day designed to spotlight the disease that affects about 250 million people world-

November 14 was chosen in homage to the birth of Canada's Sir Frederick Banting, whose work along with Dr. Charles Best — led to the discovery of insulin in 1922 at the University of Toronto.

About 41,000 Canadians die each year as a result of diabetes — generally from a stroke or heart disease.

And there are an alarming number of Canadians developing Type 2 dia-betes, the most common variation.

By next year, about three million Canadians will have diabetes, draining

### **Prevention**

 Type 2 diabetes can be prevented or delayed, experts say, by simple measures: Increasing physical activity, losing weight (about five to seven per cent of your body weight) and eating more healthfully.

\$15.6 billion from the health care system annually.

"Diabetes is the third most frequently diagnosed disease by physicians in Canada," said Dr. Stewart Harris, lead investigator for the National Diabetes Management Strategy.

Harris is based in London, Ont.

Several factors cause the high diabetes rate:

- Canada's aging population.
- Rising obesity rates.
- · Increasingly sedentary lifestyles.

# Calgary Screaming students helped out of crashed school bus



About three dozen elementary school students were treated for cuts and bruises after their bus and a minivan collided in Calgary on Thursday. The bus smashed into a tree in front of a house in the city's northwest. Neighbours helped the screaming children out of the bus. Both drivers were seriously injured.

# Sexsomnia man no threat, panel says

found not criminally responsible for sexually assaulting a woman because he was asleep will not face any long-term restrictions on his freedom.

Review The Ontario Board ruled Thursday that Ian Luedecke does not pose a significant threat to public safety and granted him

an absolute discharge.

The board was responsible for determining what conditions, if any, were to be placed upon the landscaper who suffers from

sexsomnia, a rare sleep disorder.

The assault took place in the early hours of a 2003 house party in Toronto. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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# Ottawa Cleared for takeoff, the travelling PM



Prime Minister Stephen Harper and his wife, Laureen, wave as they leave for the APEC summit in Singapore from Ottawa International Airport Thursday. It's the first of three trips abroad that will keep Harper out of the House of Commons until the fall session ends in mid-December.

# Quebec will get tough over construction industry scams

LAWS Quebec is toughening rules governing how cities award building contracts amid allegations of ram-pant corruption in the construction industry.

The provincial government will table laws that would give it more control over municipal politicians.

The proposed legislation would allow provincial inspectors to scrutinize municipal books and impose sanctions if tendering rules aren't followed.

The province also plans to double the number of inspectors.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

### **News** in brief

**CRIME** A thief with a gun likely wasn't counting on an 84-yearold veteran and a fellow member of his Toronto legion putting up a fight when he tried to make off with their poppy money. They refused to give up the cash and instead chased the suspect and tackled him. "He didn't get any money," said John Dietsch, the 84-year-old.

THE CANADIAN PRESS

The lawyer for Michael Rafferty, 28, accused of kidnapping and murdering eight-year-old Victoria (Tori) Stafford, asked for the public's "patience" Thursday. Terri-Lynn McClintic, 19, is also accused of the eight-year-old Woodstock, Ont., girl's murder. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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# This home inspector will foot the bill

# The B.C. Supreme Court has thrown the book at a home inspector.

It has ordered him to pay nearly \$200,000 in compensation to a North Vancouver couple for a faulty home inspection.

The court found that Imre Toth of Aldergrove was negligent because he failed to inspect the entire home. He should have advised the couple to hire a struc-

the couple to hire a structural engineer before they bought the \$1.1-million house in September 2006, the court said.

Toth's estimate of \$20,000 to repair the house was less than one-tenth of the actual cost of

# "A good inspection is a full day."

Sean Wiens

\$212,000. The court ordered Toth to pay the \$192,000 difference between his estimate and the final repair bill.

One Vancouver home inspector hopes it leads to tougher regulations.

"The average inspector is only there for three hours or less," said Sean Wiens.

"I'm of the view — and I don't represent the majority, by far — that a good inspection is a full day."

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Insurance companies fined

Spanish regulators said Thursday they have fined six European insurance companies a total of \$180 million US for fixing prices on building-defect coverage during the Spanish housing boom. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# World



# **Drug lord makes Forbes power list**

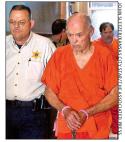
Forbes Magazine has added drug lord Joaquin (El Chapo) Guzman — the most wanted man in Mexico — to its list of the 67 World's Most Powerful People. At No. 41 on the list, Guzman, left, is ahead of presidents like Russia's Dmitry Medvedev, France's Nicolas Sarkozy and Venezuela's Hugo Chavez. "This ranking is intended to be the beginning of a conversation, not the final word," the magazine said in accompanying article. "Do despicable criminals like billionaire Mexican drug lord Joaquin Guzman ... belong on this list at all?"

# Ministers arraigned

Police continue search for bodies in child sex abuse case

Five family members charged in a child sex abuse case in western Missouri made their first court appearance Thursday while crews resumed scouring the property where some of the abuse allegedly occurred years ago.

The five men, wearing orange jumpsuits and shackled at their wrists, waists and ankles, appeared downcast as judge John Frerking read the charges against them, including forcible sodomy, rape with a child younger than 12 and use of a child in a sexual performance. The allegations, which include bestiality, forcing children into fake marriages with relatives and making an 11-year-old have an abortion, date from 1988 to 1995.



One of the accused, Burrell Mohler Sr., is escorted to court in Lexington, Mo., yesterday.

Authorities resumed a search Thursday at a rural property where members of the family once lived. They believe they may find a body or bodies and buried glass jars with notes written by children who may have documented sexual abuse.

Three of the five men are lay ministers in the Community of Christ church whose licenses have been suspended, church spokeswoman Linda L. Booth said.

Cpl. Bill Lowe of the Missouri State Highway Patrol said a 26-year-old woman came forward to investigators in mid-August with the allegations.

The woman also claimed

some of the men forced her to have sex with a dog and to watch as her brother was abused. The Community of Christ, headquartered in Missouri, split from The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in 1860 and was known as the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints until 2001. It has about 250,000 members worldwide.

# Gaza Strip Women militants in training



A woman militant in the Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine takes care of one of her children in a house of a fighter in the Gaza Strip, Thursday. Approximately 40 women started training for the DFLP six months ago as a response to Israel's January offensive.

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# Vatican looks to get tech-savvy

vatican city Executives from Facebook, Wikipedia and Google are attending a Vatican meeting to brief officials and bishops about the Internet and digital

youth culture.

The symposium, which opened Thursday and runs through Sunday, also will

address Internet copyright

issues and hacking.

Pope Benedict XVI has tried to bring the Vatican into the Internet age by launching a YouTube channel earlier this year. Officials say he also emails and surfs the web.

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# Obama rejects Afghan options

WASHINGTON U.S. President Barack Obama rejected the Afghanistan war options before him and asked for revisions, his defence secretary said Thursday, after the U.S. ambassador in Kabul argued that a significant U.S. troop increase would only prop up a weak, corruptiontainted government.

Obama's ambassador,

Karl Eikenberry, who is also a former commander in Afghanistan, twice in the last week voiced strong dissent against sending large numbers of new forces, according to an official. That puts him at odds with war commander Gen. Stanley McChrystal, who is seeking thousands more troops.

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### **News** in brief

**TIME** Russian President Dmitry Medvedev suggested Thursday reducing the number of time zones in the country. There are currently 11 time zones.

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The U.S. Treasury Department said Thursday that the deficit for October totalled \$176.4 billion US, even higher than the \$150 billion imbalance that economists expected. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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# **Hasan charged**

Obama orders intelligence review of accused Fort Hood gunman

The U.S. Army psychiatrist accused in the Fort Hood shootings was charged with 13 counts of premeditated murder in the military's legal system, making him eligible for the death penalty if convicted, officials said Thursday.

Meanwhile, President Barack Obama ordered a review of all intelligence related to Maj. Nidal Malik Hasan and whether it was properly shared and acted upon within individual government agencies. The announcement comes as members of U.S. Congress are pressuring for a full in-



vestigation in why Hasan was not detected and stopped. Senate hear-ing on Hasan is scheduled for next week.

Senate The Homeland Security Committee announced it is opening its own investigation this week.

U.S. Army Criminal Investigation Command spokesman Chris Grey said at a news conference that additional charges may be filed against Hasan.

Officials told The Associ-

ated Press that it had not been decided whether to charge Hasan with a 14th count of murder related to the death of the unborn child of a pregnant shooting victim.

The officials spoke on condition of anonymity because they were not authorized to speak about the case publicly. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Counts of murder that Mai. Nidal Malik Hasan has been charged with, making him eligible for the death penalty under U.S. military law.

# Mix it up!



# Life always looks more fun in Australia



Some of the more than 200 bikini and brief swimsuit-clad participants arrive before they attempt to gain entry into the Guinness Book of World Records on Thursday in Sydney, as the largest swimwear parade at one time.

Couple to plead guilty in balloon hoax

a felony his attorney

David Lane said. Mayumi

Heene - a Japanese citizen who could have been

deported if convicted of

will plead guilty to false re-

porting to authorities, a

Richard Heene carries a

possible sentence of two to

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misdemeanour, he said.

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said Thursday.

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**INTELLIGENCE** The CIA has won a months-long bureaucratic dispute with the Office of the Director of National Intelligence, assuring the primacy of CIA personnel over U.S. intelligence operations around the world. CIA Director

The parents

who reported their six-year-old son floated away

aboard a helium balloon

will plead guilty to some

charges so that the family

can stay together, the at-

torney for the boy's father

Richard Heene will plead

guilty in the alleged Oct.

15 hoax to attempting to

influence a public servant,

Leon Panetta and National Intelligence Director Dennis Blair squared off in May over Blair's effort to choose his own representative at U.S. embassies to be his personal eyes and ears abroad, instead of relving on CIA station chiefs. Blair issued

a directive in May declaring his intention to select his own representatives overseas. Panetta followed up shortly thereafter with a note telling agency employees that station chiefs were still in charge.

and a fine of up to

\$500,000 US, prosecutors said. His wife could face up

to six months in county

jail and a fine up to \$750.

Lane said he expects prosecutors to ask for jail

time for both parents. He

said under the conditions

of the deal, Richard Heene

could face up to 90 days in

jail and Mayumi up to 60.

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# **Comment & Views**

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# Forgotten' moment of civil rights



amn. Missed it. Again. I'm not the only one. Which is unfortunate. everyone.

Last Sunday marked the anniversary of an event that symbolizes - or should the beginning of the modern civil rights movement in Canada.

On Nov. 8, 1946, a 32year-old black beautician named Viola Desmond was driving from Halifax to Svdnev when her car broke down. After a mechanic in New Glasgow said he wouldn't be able to fix it until the next day, Desmond decided to put in time catching a movie at the nearby Roseland Theatre.

The theatre was segregated. Blacks could only sit in the balcony. Desmond found a better seat in the whitesonly section and sat down. When she refused to leave, the manager called the police. They physically removed her from the theatre and trucked her off to jail.

She was charged, not with violating the un-posted, but nonetheless strictly enforced, code of segregation, but with defrauding the federal government. Since downstairs ticket prices were higher than in the balcony, she'd paid one cent less tax than required.

Desmond was convicted and fined \$20. Desmond's story galva-

nized the newly formed No-

va Scotia Association for the Advancement of Coloured People, which raised funds to appeal her conviction. Although the appeal itself was unsuccessful the white Halifax lawyer who'd taken on the case — Frederick Bissett donated his fees back to the organization so it could continue the fight against state-sanctioned segrega-

Ironically, Desmond's brave contribution to the beginning of the civil rights movement - Rosa Parks' far more famous refusal to get off a bus in Montgomery, Ala., wouldn't happen for another nine years is barely even acknowledged in her province.

Nova Scotia's Human Rights Commission web page, for example, features a link to the story of Anne Frank's diary but nothing about Desmond. A search for her name on the Black Cultural Centre website draws a blank - even on pages devoted to "Our Heroes." The province's Department of Education only finally approved last spring a black history textbook in which Desmond is at least mentioned.

Compare that with Toronto's Ryerson University. Last year, it made "Viola year, it made "Viola Desmond Day" the "high-light" of its Black History Month events.

It's long past time we in Nova Scotia officially recognized Viola Desmond's important contribution to our history. So that we don't forget. To remember. Next vear.

Stephen Kimber, the Rogers Communica-tions Chair in Journalism at the University of Kings College, is the author of eight books.

### **Views**

# A world where what you see is what you get



Susie Mowers

We know how "the game" works. More importantly, we know that anyone in their late 20s who still plays "the game" is still single because all the straight-up people who never played games are long gone and happily married. Games don't work. We know this.

We are the 20-something female neo-feminists whose posse consists of jocks and intellectuals who happen to be male. We don't get along with girls because they're

catty, analytical ... and each other's worst enemy.

So we befriend guys. We hang with guys. We like their tell-it-like-it-is mantra and, yeah, we try to adopt it and make it our own. And we do. Quite successfully. And it's always spectacular, until "it" happens. And it always happens. Flashback to last Tuesday.

Ben and I are in the boardroom and we're talking hockey.

"You want to go to the game?" he asks.

"Sure!" I say. Mistake No. 1.

I check with my roommate that this is not a date. I'm under the impression we're going because we're friends and we like the same team. Mistake No. 2.

The non-date goes su-perbly and we bid our adieus on the subway. And then this: "Had a great time. Next time — dinner?'

I curse. It's the ambiguous date invitation. Just when you *swore* things were cool. *Friendly*.

Flash forward to Friday when a colleague I consider a dear friend professed his love for me. His motive for confessing? If I was so straightforward, he could learn to be, too.

See, this isn't necessarily what we're after. But it's what always happens. And it makes me wonder: Is too straight-up a downfall? Women, this is your call

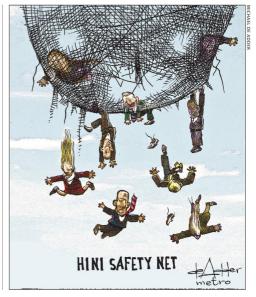
to action. (Read: Our plea). Let us off the hook. Quit the games. Tell it like it is. Say what you feel. Don't ana-

Because the more you disclose, the rarer we are. And the better you look. And the less frustrated he is. And the happier you both are. You see a pattern here?

A world where what you see is what you get. Think of all the friends

you could make.

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# Business

# **Survey says 10** companies tops

**Telus Corp., Corus Entertainment and Wal-**Mart Canada are among the 2009 top 10 "most admired" corporate cultures in Canada, a new survey

The list, compiled by executive search firm Water-Human Capital, stone ranked Canadian companies with strong corporate cultures, despite the economic downturn.

Companies on this year's list outpaced the S&P/TSX by an average of more than 300 per cent in the past three years, the survey said.

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ture is an incredibly valuable asset," said Waterstone managing director Marty

Other companies on the list include: Acklands-Grainger Inc., Aviva Insurance Company of Canada, Ceridian Canada Ltd., Fairmont Hotels and Resorts. GoodLife Fitness, Medavie Blue Cross and Starbucks

Waterstone compiled data using results from each of the public and private companies on the list, and compared it to the S&P/TSX

The results show the S&P/TSX compound annual growth rate was 3.8 per cent from December 2005 to December 2008. That compares to a growth rate of 12 per cent for the 10 companies on the list over the same time period.

"What this tells us is that if an organization's culture is strong, even with a major downturn, it outperforms the majority of its peers,' Parker said.

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# Gaming Record-breaking sales



In this file video game image released by Activision, a scene from Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 2 is shown. First-day sales of Activision Blizzard Inc.'s Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 2 broke records, raking in an estimated US\$310 million in North America and the United Kingdom alone. The video game went on sale all over the world Tuesday, but Activision provided figures Thursday only for North America and Britain.

## In **brief**

HOUSING Contractors' selling prices rose 0.5 per cent in September, the largest monthover-month increase since January 2008. Statistics Canada reports prices took their biggest hikes in Vancouver between August and September, followed by Ottawa-Gatineau, Calgary, Toronto and Oshawa and Saskatoon. The largest monthly decrease was a 0.7 per cent drop in Windsor.

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# Jobs stabilized in last seven months of recession

**EMPLOYMENT** A new report says employment declined much faster in the early months of the current economic downturn than it did early in the recessions of 1981 and 1990.

But the analysis by Statistics Canada found employment levels in the next seven months of the current downturn were relatively stable, while employment had continued to decline in previous downturns.

However, in months, employment levels have been relatively stable, while employment losses continued for 17 months in 1981-82 and for 11 months in 1990-91.

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Ford savs Fusion sedan beat sales record

Ford Motor Co. said Thursday its Fusion mid-size sedan has broken the model's annual sales record even though U.S. auto sales have dropped 25 per cent. Ford sold 151,137 Fusions through Wednesday, beating the full-year sales record of 149,552 set in 2007. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

### **Business** in brief

**RETAIL** Canadian Tire Corp. says its profits fell nearly 22 per cent in the third quarter as unseasonal weather slowed its sales, and the company's financial services division faced higher loan losses. The Toronto-based retailer, which sells a broad range of hardware. housewares, clothing and gasoline, said its net income dropped to \$85.4 million, from \$109.1 million in the third quarter of 2008. Net earnings

per share were down to \$1.04 from \$1.34. Adjusted earnings, which are more widely tracked by analysts, fell to \$1.11 from \$1.42. Revenue tumbled six per cent to \$2.45 billion from \$2.61 billion a year ago. U.S. JOBLESS New claims for unemployment insurance in the United States fell more than expected last week, evidence the job market is slowly healing as the economy recovers. Still, many private economists and U.S. Federal Reserve officials worry the nation could be in for a "jobless recovery" as the unemployment rate rises despite some overall economic growth. The Labour Department said Thursday that first-time claims for jobless benefits dropped to a seasonally adjusted 502,000 from an upwardly revised 514,000 the previous week. That's the fewest claims since Jan. 3.

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# China Unshackling currency?



A woman looks at a T-shirt with a portrait of U.S. President Barack Obama at a shop in Shanghai. China signalled Thursday that it's ready to allow its currency to rise just days ahead of a visit by Obama. China's currency is hugely undervalued by U.S. reckoning, leaving a vast trade gap. And there are disputes between the two countries on everything from tire exports to DVD piracy.

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# **B.C.** to strike gol

Olympics will lead way out of recession: Report

Olympics-pumped British
Columbia will lead Canada out of recession with the strongest economic growth in the country next year.

The Conference Board of Canada says B.C.'s economy will advance by a ro-bust 4.2 per cent in 2010, in part because of the activity surrounding the Winter Olympics in Febru-ary. The think-tank's esti-

### **Dodged bullet**

• Manitoba and the Maritime provinces managed to avoid a recession altogether this year, but their growth will be modest next year, says the conference board.

mate for growth nationally is 2.9 per cent.

The board's outlook says Saskatchewan will fare

next best in 2010 with 3.7 per cent growth based largely on the rebound in potash production.

Only Newfoundland will fail to emerge from recession next year as declining offshore oil production and weaker construction activity will again shrink the economy by 0.5 per cent, after falling 3.6 per cent this year, it says.

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# Intel Corp. ducks antitrust trial

**COMPUTERS** Intel Corp. is paying Silicon Valley rival Advanced Micro Devices Inc. \$1.25 billion US to squash a legal battle over Intel's sales tactics, a rift that led to antitrust charges against Intel in several countries and was

headed toward a costly and nasty trial next year.

The settlement announced Thursday doesn't let Intel off the hook. It still has to deal with the antitrust charges that AMD pressed governments to file. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# BCE profit more than doubles

TELECOMMUNICATIONS BCE Inc. says its profits more than doubled during the third quarter on favourable resolution of past tax positions, lower restructuring costs and fewer outstanding common shares.

Net income applicable to common shares was \$558 million or 72 cents per share — up from a profit of \$248 million or 31 cents per share last year.

BCE says its climbing revenues were partially offset by a decline at Bell Aliant, which saw sales slide by 3.2 per cent to \$786 million due to lower local, long distance and equipment revenues.

Bell Wireless recorded 501,000 new subscribers during the quarter and saw its total net activations rise by 15 per cent due to the success of new handsets, services and applications.

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Brogan Bailey's goal at the four-minute mark of overtime lifted the Woodstock Slammers to a 4-3 win over the the Halifax Lions in Maritime Junior A Hockey League action at the Forum on Thursday. Travis Perry, Kyle Diloa and Justin Belanger scored for the Lions, 5-6-1. METRO HALIFAX





# Glavic gets nod for CIS award

Calgary Dinos quarterback Erik Glavic is up for his second Hec Crighton Glavic, who won the award in 2007 with the Saint Mary's Huskies, was

# Huskies leaning on Leger

# Three-headed monster now reduced to one for Loney Bowl

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## Craig Leger is no stranger to being a lead running

Back in his high school days with the Cobequid Cougars, the Salmon River native piled up an unheard of 2,200 yards and 25 touchdowns

nine games, earn- "I think it's going to ing provincial be the Craig Leger

MVP and get-ting recruited **Show.**" by the Saint Steve Sumarah, Huskies head coach

The Huskies, sud-

Huskies.

denly depleted at his position, are expected to lean on the third-year standout more than ever on Saturday at 1 p.m. when they host the St. Francis Xavier X-Men in the Atlantic Uni-

versity Sport Loney Bowl. With Devon Jones out of the lineup because of a suspension and brother Tristan Jones ailing with a shoulder injury, the three-headed Huskies' monster is down to Leger.

"I think it's going to be the Craig Leger Show," pre-dicted Saint Mary's head coach Steve Sumarah.

5-foot-9, 185pounder was no slouch this season, earning an allstar spot with 491 yards three touchdowns

while handling about 30 carries.

Tristan will be a gametime decision, but if he is unable to play, Leger said he's ready to carry the load.

"I'm just hoping to do my part and help the team win," Leger said. "I want to do what I can, especially

for the guys who could be playing the last game of their reers."

While the Huskies' conference-leading ground game will be

a big part of their strategy, the X-Men will likely throw a lot, as they have much of the season. They led the AUS with more than 300 passing yards per game and 11 touchdowns.

"We have to be ready to defend 60 minutes of the air show," Sumarah said.

The teams split their two matchups this season and turnovers were the key factor in each outing. The Huskies turned the ball over five times in a 24-19 opening-weekend loss; the X-Men committed eight in a 41-7 thumping on Oct.

"The team that wins the battle of the turnovers is going to win," said X-Men head coach Gary Water-



Saint Mary's Huskies running back Craig Leger runs a drill during practice at Huskies Stadium yesterday. Leger is expected to start at running back in Saturday's Loney Bowl.

The Huskies are vying for a third straight AUS crown and ninth in 11

The home team has not lost since the AUS introduced the three-team playoff format in 2002.

Both teams know each other intimately.

"They have film on you and there are no secrets," Sumarah said.

"It's all about execution and intensity."

### **Huskies take home AUS awards**

• Three members of the Saint Mary's Huskies earned major Atlantic University Sport hardware yesterday. Fourth-year head coach Steve Sumarah took home coach of the year for the third straight season, while first-year defensive end Devon Hicks won lineman of the year. Devin Murphy, meanwhile, was named volunteer coach of the year.

Receiver Gary Ross of the Mount Allison Mounties was named most outstanding player; Tom Lynch of the St. Francis Xavier X-Men picked up defensive player of the year; and defensive lineman Nate Annan was named rookie of the year. Halifax native Greg Knight of the Acadia Axemen won the student-athlete community service award.

### X-Men hoping to erase bad memories

**REDEMPTION** The St. Francis Xavier X-Men hope the third time's the charm in the Atlantic University Sport Loney Bowl.

The X-Men have lost back-to-back heartbreakers to the Saint Mary's Huskies and are looking to win their first AUS crown since 1996 when the teams meet on Saturday at 1 p.m. in Halifax.

They lost 29-27 last year and 25-24 in 2007.

X-Men kicker Kyle Chisholm had game-winning and game-tying field goals on his toe each year but couldn't convert. Chisholm has since been replaced by Anthony Alix.

There's a focus around the team, a determination around the team, especially from the guys who have been through it," said X-Men head coach Gary Waterman. "Those games are over, but in the back of your mind, you remember them.

"The guys won't need a big pre-game speech before this one.

The X-Men, who went 6-2 this season, needed 17 straight fourth-quarter points to edge the Acadia Axemen 33-30 in last Saturday's semifinal, narrowly avoiding an epic upset.

They have lost 17 straight games at Huskies Stadium.

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# Herd looking to extend winning streak

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**HOCKEY** The Halifax Mooseheads finally have a bit of momentum on their side and aren't ready to let it go just yet.

The Mooseheads, coming off back-to-back victories, can assemble their first three-game winning streak since 2007-08 when they host the Moncton Wildcats on Friday at 7

Only two players on the current roster - Tomas Knotek and Travis Randell were around to experience the last winning streak back in February 2008, when Brad Marcand Jakub Voracek patrolled the same powerplay unit.

We haven't won a lot this year so two in a row at home, it feels really good," said goalie Mathieu Cor-Our confidence is going up. We know we can beat teams."

The Mooseheads, 3-18-1, went on a 10-1 scoring romp last weekend and received outstanding goaltending from Corbeil to beat the Val-d'Or Foreurs and P.E.I. Rocket.

They were supposed to

Shawinigan the Cataractes this past Tuesday, but that outing was postponed because H1N1 concerns and has been rescheduled for Jan.

The Mooseheads used the week to rest and have a healthy roster, with rightwinger Jessyko Bernard defenceman (flu) and Alexandre Brunet (groin) ready to return.

"We had momentum and we still do," Mooseheads head coach Cam Russell said.

"But it gave us a chance to recuperate. It's good to have a few days to get over

the flu, the bumps and the bruises, especially against a team like Moncton."

The Wildcats, 12-6-3, boast superstars in forward Kirill Kabanov and blueliner Brandon Gormley, potential high picks in the 2010 NHL draft

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Mooseheads' goalie Mathieu Corbeil was dominant during Halifax's two victories last weekend, stopping 63 of 65 shots.

**16** sports

The New Orleans Hornets have fired coach Byron Scott and named general manager Jeff Bower as his replacement. New Orleans lost 124-104 at Phoenix Wednesday, falling to 3-6 on the season. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# Webster on to Olympic trials

**CURLING** Calgary's Crystal Webster advanced to next month's Olympic curling trials with a 9-7 victory over Kelly Scott of Kelowna, B.C., Thursday. Webster, the women's

seventh seed, is the only team to go undefeated in the pre-trials competition, earning victories over Amber Holland of Kronau. Sask., Sherry Middaugh of Coldwater, Ont., and Ottawa's Rachel Homan to reach the A



Crystal Webster

There, she struck quickly against the top-ranked Scott rink, scoring four with the hammer in

the opening end. Scott, the 2007 world champion, responded with two in the second, and singles in the third and fourth ends to tie

The teams traded deuces in the fifth and sixth ends, and single points in the seventh and eighth. Webster picked Scott's rock out of the house in the 10th end to score the deciding two

# Cowboys and alpine medals

# Like the Crazy Canucks, the Canadian Cowboys have Olympic glory in sight



he time is at hand. In the Canadian West they are praying for snow and alpine glory. The Olympics on the home hill are just

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around the corner.

Dark horses and Canadian cowboys are licking their chops at what might happen on the first day of competition. The men's downhill is one of the most coveted prizes at any Olympics and in Whistler it could mean an early end to the drought that has seen Canada emerge from hosting two sets of Games without earning a gold medal.

"Depth means if the guy who is supposed to win doesn't,

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there's

someone else to back him up," said Ken Read of the current men's speed team. 'It means you're not relying on just one guy."

Read knows.

As the leader of the Crazy Canucks, he was touted to win a medal maybe gold — at the 1980 Olympics in Lake Placid. That was until his binding popped off just out of the start gate. No matter, Steve Podborski, his younger teammate, came through with

bronze and became Canadian legend in the process

This time, the Canadians will send a full complement of downhill demons to the

start gate at Whistler. They "The Canadians have four spots in the elite field will send a full and the team complement of that unabashedly downhill refers to itself as Canadian demons to the Cowboys has five start gate at guys who will Whistler." for scrap a chance to be on

the roster that could win on friendly snow.

The list is impressive.

Erik Guay of Mont Tremblant, Que., has scored 10 World Cup podium finishes. Calgary's John Kucera is the current world champion. Manny Osborne-Paradis has won before and is physically suited to the course. Robbie Dixon grew up skiing at Whistler. He's young, hungry and on the

Which leaves Jan Hudec.

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A former world championship silver medallist and champion of the World Cup at Lake Louise, Hudec is coming off his sixth reconstructive knee surgery.

He's the dark horse, but completely undaunt-

hurt.' Hudec admitted of his latest operation, which robbed him of the pre-Olympic season.

"It hurt emotionally, physically, mentally and spiritually, but if the pain gets me to the Olympics it will have been

Revealing words - gut-

It all means dark horses and Canadian cowboys are for a wild ride at Whistler come February.

Scott Russell is the Host of CBC Sports Weekend seen Saturday afternoons. He has covered professional and amateur sports including nine Olympic games and numerous world championships.

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## **Sports** in brief

**OLYMPICS** ESPN secured the South American broadcast rights to the 2010 and 2012 Olympics Thursday in a deal worth about \$10 million US. ESPN takes over from the Iberoamericana Television Organization (OTI) group of networks, which broadcast each summer Olympics since the 1992 Barcelona Games. The rights, sold by the International Olympic Committee, cover the 2010 Vancouver Games and the 2012 London Olympics.

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**18** sports

Manchester United manager Sir Alex Ferguson has been banned from the bench for four games and fined 20,000 pounds for criticizing the fitness of referee Alan Wiley after a Premier League game. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Man U's Ferguson gets four game ban

# Something to prove

Bisping, Kang square off in UFC main event this weekend

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It's impossible to look at Michael Bisping and not picture Dan Henderson's right fist turning his smug mug into a cubist painting — the eyes rolling back, the nose flattening, the jaw shifting violently sideways as the lights go out.

It was one of the most brutal knockouts in UFC history, compounded by Henderson's flying forearm across his unconscious opponent's chin "to shut him up," and it would have left an ordiperson through a straw for weeks.

So the biggest question that Saturday's UFC 105 will answer isn't whether hall of famer Randy Couture can still fight at age or whether Mike Swick will earn his title shot against Georges St. Pierre, but how will this once-cocky British fighter respond when he steps back into the octagon for the first time since being literally turned into a punchline four months

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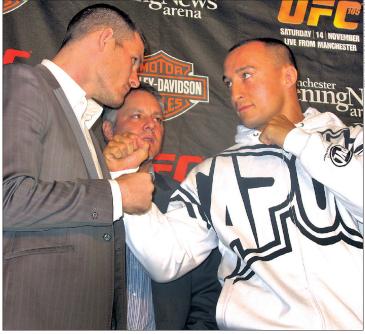
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Bisping will face Denis Kang, a 32-year-old Vancouver native who now calls Montreal home, in a crucial middleweight bout for both fighters.

Bisping, who has a huge fan base thanks to his two



Michael Bisping, left, and Canadian middleweight Denis Kang square off at Thursday's news conference for UFC 105 in Manchester, England.

appearances on The Ultimate Fighter reality series, first as a fighter and then a coach, was on track for a title shot until he stepped in front of the Henderson express. So he needs a win both to dispel lingering doubts about his abilities and to stay in the hunt for champion Anderson Silva.

Likewise, Kang, a for-mer PRIDE FC star with 44 fights under his belt, was unremarkable in his first two UFC bouts and needs to prove he's a legitimate threat in the weight divi-

He's got incredible striking skills and a black belt in jiu-jitsu but he's yet to perform the way he did against Akihiro Gono or Murilo (Ninja) Rua (brother of Mauricio (Shogun) Rua). But unlike Bisping, he doesn't have a highlight reel knockout loss on permanent replay in his head and that could be the deciding factor.

### **Sports** in brief

SILVER SLUGGERS Second baseman Aaron Hill and designated hitter Adam Lind of the Toronto Blue Jays were awarded the American League silver slugger awards for their positions on Thursday. Hill hit 36 home runs, 37 doubles and drove in 108 runs while posting a .286 batting average in 2009. Lind hit 35 home runs, 46 doubles, 114 RBIs and had a batting average of .305.

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# Germany goalkeeper Robert Enke's burial set for Sunday

SOCCER Robert Enke, the Germany goalkeeper who was killed after throwing himself in front of a train, will be buried Sunday in a small ceremony near his home following a memorial service at the Hannover stadium.

Hannover spokesman Andreas Kuhnt confirmed the details Thursday, with the burial near outside Neustadt, Hannover, following morning's Sunday memorial service.

The entire national team will attend the service, the German football federation said, and will be joined by former coaches Juergen Klinsmann and Rudi Voeller, along with several players not in the current Germany squad.

In the wake of Enke's death, his club urged football to rethink how it deals with the possible

problems of its stars and to be more open about them.

Enke took his own life Tuesday evening when he stepped in front of a train near his Hannover home His widow, Teresa, went

on national television a day later to reveal that Enke had been suffering from de-pression for six years

be known. "It was a free decision by Mrs. Enke. I Robert Enke think she wanted to

but did not want it to

make the public aware of this subject," Hannover club president Martin Kind said. "We must learn how to open ourselves."

Kind was speaking after attending a religious service Wednesday evening.

Later, about 35,000 people took part in a silent march to the city's stadium. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# Ducks' owner reinstated

**HOCKEY** NHL commissioner Gary Bettman reinstated Henry Samueli as owner of the Anaheim Ducks on Thursday, lifting a ban imposed two summers ago after the billionaire philanthropist's guilty plea to a felony count of lying to the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Samueli's wife Susan also returned to active status as co-owner of the Ducks. The canadian press

## **Briatore to demand** \$1M euros from F1

MONEY Former Renault boss Flavio Briatore will demand one million euros (\$1.56 million) in damages from Formula One's world governing body when he appeals against his indefinite ban from the sport later this month. The Guardian newspaper reported. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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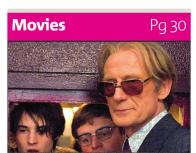
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Dakota Fanning talks about her roll as a member of the dangerous Volturi in the upcoming The Twilight Saga: New Moon.



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# Fanning showing teeth Child star plays dreaded vampire in New Moon

When child star and avid Twilight fan Dakota Fanning signed on to play on of the dreaded Volturi in New Moon, the second film in the blockbuster vampire franchise, she knew what she was looking forward to most: Wearing those creepy red contact lenses.

"I was really excited about that," the 15-year-old says. "It makes anyone look automatically kind of evil."

For newcomers, the colour of the eyes of Twilight vampires denote what kind of blood they feed on – golden for animal blood, red for human. Scary as they are, though, they couldn't be terribly comfortable, right?

"You get used to it after awhile," Fanning says. "You

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still kind of weird."

Fanning's vampire, Jane, is one of the most feared in the four-book series by Stephenie Meyer. She is an angelic-looking young lady with the power to cause people intense pain just by glancing at them.

"It was fun to get to play a kind of feared character, some-thing different from what I've done before," Fanning admits. "She uses her power not for good, which was another thing that was kind of interesting to me.'

The idea of having some kind of special ability piqued Fanning's interest as well.

"If I could have any power, it would be to read people's thoughts," she admits.

Of course, joining a franchise already in progress can be tough, especially when it's something as successful as the Twilight se-

"With a cast that already knew each other really well, you always are kind of the new kid coming in,"
Fanning says. "But
they were just

so nice and so welcoming **New Moon** and just a really great cast. So it hits theatres was hard to next week starstruck,

even though you're such big fans of them and excited to meet them. But they're just so nice and you be-come friends pretty quick."

She particularly became friends with series star Kristen Stewart, which was convenient since the

the last year together, co-starring in New friends and really close throughperiences Runaways, vear. "It was really

end up spending much of "We became really good

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## "It was fun to get to play a kind of feared character, something different from what I've done before."

Dakota Fannina

been acting since a tender age, Fanning has been trying to get as much of a normal adolescence as possible - and she was recently crowned homecoming princess at her L.A.-area high school. "I'm a junior, so you can't be the queen,' she explains.

"I think it's really great to have that balance," Fanning says.

'I was lucky that I was able to go to a school that lets me leave."

But she as successful as she's been at balancing her two worlds, she doesn't necessarily have a lot advice for other young actors.

"I don't know if there's a how-to guide to how I bal-ance it," she admits. "It's just kind of happened."

Dakota Fanning stars in New Moon, the sequel to the box-office smash Twiliaht.



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# Scorsese up for DeMille award

HONOUR Director Martin Scorsese is receiving the Cecil B. DeMille Award for lifetime achievement at the Golden Globes.

The award will be presented to Scorsese at the 67th annual Globes on Jan.

Scorsese turns 67 next week and is an Academy Award winner for directing on The Departed and a two-time Golden Globe winner for that film and Gangs of New York. He also was nominated for Oscars and Globes for such films as Raging Bull, Goodfellas and The Aviator.

Past winners of the De-Mille award include last year's recipient, Steven Spielberg, along with Warren Beatty, Anthony Hopkins and Michael Douglas.

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### Serratos strips for PETA

The Twilight Saga actress Christian Serratos is the latest in a long line of celebrities to bare all for PETA's anti-fur campaign. FEMALEFIRST.CO.UK



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# Long's nerdy side

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Justin Long is no stranger to being animated — he voices Alvin in the Alvin and the Chipmunks movies, after all — but playing a little green man in Planet 51 was still a new experience for him.

Luckily his character, Lem, the awkward teen who discovers and hides an alien (actually a U.S. astronaut voiced Dwayne Johnson), was easy for Long to relate to. "I was — Planet 51

opens in shockingly a bit of a nerd theatres high school," Long next week admits. "I was a socially awkward. I wasn't as smart, though, sadly. Lem is a lot brighter than

me. The biggest surprise for Long was how much work he had to do to manipulate his voice to play Lem in the film, which opens next

"We did the movie over the course of several years, during which time I went through puberty, apparently," Long says with a laugh.
"My voice coach said that
my voice over the last couple of years has gotten deeper. I don't know what happened. But I was playing a

teenager, so I pitched up." With 11 film credits in 2009 alone, Long has been busy - and that doesn't

count those Mac ads or his occasional pop-ins at Saturday Night Live.

He's been seen in a number of comedies, including He's Just Not That Into You and Funny People, but what really got the young actor some attention this year was his work in Sam Raimi's Drag Me to Hell. But Long's just happy he didn't stink up the screen.

'My biggest fear was just being caught in a dishonest moment. There's nothing worse than bad horror acting," he says.
"I have such a

respect for actors who are able to give such convincing horror movie performances. It really is exhausting, because it's your whole body. It is just gruelling. You go home every night so drained emotionally. But in Drag Me to Hell, it was really Alison Lohman. I was just the boyfriend.

And Long says he's looking forward to more animation - he'll be heard soon in Alvin and the Chip-munks: The Squeakquel because he doesn't have to worry so much about his

"I gesticulate a lot, usually very effeminately," he iokes. "It was a nice freedom to have in the room. I could just kind of wildly use my hands and body and not be afraid of what it looked



Justin Long voices the character of nerdy teen Lem, left, in Planet 51

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Emotions strong in Savagery

## Love and Savagery

Director: John N. Smith Stars: Allan Hawco, Sarah Greene

Classification: STC Rating: 🕮 🏶

PHIL BROWN for Metro Canada

REVIEW Love And Savagery is a small and simple movie that won't overload your senses with spectacle, but will crawl under your skin and quietly move you if you let it in.

Based on a book of poetby screenwriter Des Walsh, the film has a plot but is more about emotions, characters and place. It is a tale of unrequited love as well as a love letter to Ireland that captures its location with a sense of authenticity reminiscent of the likes of Local Hero.

The story can be a little lightweight and pre-dictable, but the emotions lightweight

are strong enough to carry the occasionally limp nar-

A young Newfoundland geologist/poet heads to a small town in Ireland to study rare limestone foundation and ends up falling

for a local girl.
Unfortunately the community doesn't take kindly to outsiders snatching up their prettiest girl, especially when that girl plans to become a nun. Like all such stories, there can be no happy ending.

It's a well-worn tale, but performed well enough by the talented lead actors (Allan Hawco and Sarah Green) to give it new life.

unites director John N. and writer Des Walsh who previously collaborated on the award-winning TV series The Boys Of St. Vincent and Random Passage. Like those projects, the film boasts a strong sense of place and stinging emotional power.

They've only made a handful of films together, but Harvey Keitel and Robert De Niro, left, are reuniting to appear in to the third film in the Meet The Parents series. EMPIREONLINE.COM

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# Boondock sequel 'defying expectations'

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CHRIS ALEXANDER for Metro Canada

The tale of writer/director Troy Duffy is one fraught with high drama and caustic rumour.

Duffy is the force behind The Boondock Saints, the cult 1999 action epic that has achieved near mythical status amongst its legion of fanatics.

But the story behind the making of that film was even more intense than any of its ample on screen gun battles.

Duffy was a struggling Boston screenwriter tending bar before Miramax honcho Harvey Weinstein rolled out the red carpet and gave him the keys to his kingdom. Then, after much heartache, Weinstein unceremoniously dumped Duffy's minimasterpiece onto DVD, where it became a surprise hit.

The entire ordeal was documented — painfully



Troy Duffy is back with The Boondock Saints 2: All Saints Day.

— in the searing 2003 film by Tony Montana and Mark Brian Smith called Overnight in which Duffy is painted as a raging, uncouth and abusive monster. It's a portrait that the filmmaker has yet to make peace with.

"That was a real kick in the head out of nowhere," says Duffy of the notorious picture. "These two guys were my friends and I let them shoot for three of the most tumultuous years of my life and they edited together the worst of it. It's all bulls— of course.

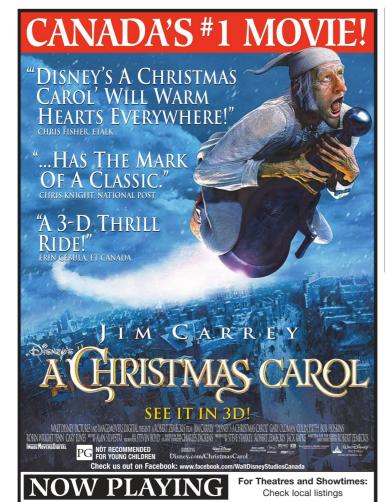
Everyone involved in making Boondock had a great time making it."

There must be some truth to his words. Duffy was in Toronto recently promoting the long awaited sequel to his calling card opus, The Boondock Saints 2: All Saints Day. Opening this week, the film sees all principal leads from the first movie happily return.

Sean Patrick Flannery and Norman Reedus once again apprear as the pious, pistol packing, vigilante Irish-American brothers intent on righting wrongs and cleaning up their streets. Cast additions include Julie Benz (TV'S Dexter) and, most triumphantly for Duffy, Easy Rider himself, Peter Fonda as a lethal Mafia Don.

"We went after Peter," admits the director. "We almost felt like we were anointed having him in the film, like we were the next Hollywood rebels, getting the torch passed down. I think he liked being cast against type and that's how I work with actors, defying expectations.

'In the world of Boondock, high risk is always high reward."



# Smitten by mama Bullock

NED EHRBAR Metro World News

For Quinton Aaron, the newcomer who stars as NFL rookie star Michael Oher as a teen adopted by a wealthy Memphis family, embodying gentle giant Oher's persona wasn't the hard part. It was working with his onscreen mom, Sandra Bullock.

Of course, it's bound be difficult working with someone you've had a crush on for years.

"The whole thing was awkward because here's a beautiful woman that I'm "The whole thing was awkward because here's a beautiful woman that I'm attracted to that's playing my mamma."

Quinton Aaron

attracted to that's playing my mamma," the Bronx native says, laughing. "I had to wrap my head around that before going into the scene." Aaron has been a Sandra Bullock fan for wears he admits

for years, he admits.
"One of my favorite

movies with her is Speed. The first one, not the second one," he says, and he was happy to learn he wasn't alone in his dislike of Speed 2. "She said it, too," he remembers. "She didn't really care for the second one. She was like, 'Please don't tell me you liked the second one."

While Bullock has a long enough resume to buffer her against flops like Speed 2, The Blind Side — in theatres next Friday — is only Aaron's second film, after Michel Gondry's Be Kind Rewind, during which the young actor received a fortuitous promotion



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# Reel Time

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# No formula for super sequels



veryone thinks they have the secret to making a great sequel. Troy Duffy, director of Boondock Saints 2: All Saints Day (in theatres this month) has a simple theory for sequel success: "Give them everything they loved about the first one inside a curveball plot they never could have seen coming."

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More scientific is a study
from Cass Business School
in London. They've devised
a mathematical formula
which Professor Thorsten
Hennig-Thurau says takes
the risk out of the sequel
business. "The idea here is

to put some more analytical thinking into the process," he says.

Does this mean no more disastrously bad movies like Legally Blonde 2: Red, White & Blonde? I doubt it, but if it works, which I doubt, it might mean more Godfather II less Psycho 4

Godfather II, less Psycho 4. Sequels take a bad rap, but every now and again a good one comes along that not only equals, but improves on the original.

Toy Story II was originally a direct-to-DVD release but played so well at test screenings Pixar overhauled the film for a theatrical run. Woody, Buzz and crew became the third highest grossing film of 1999, making more money than any other animated film (including the original) to that date.

Also scoring big box office was Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban. Much darker than the first two this one saw the franchise



The Road Warrior, the sequel to Mad Max, boasts a rare 100 per cent Rotten Tomatoes rating.

mature without losing the appeal of the original films. Rolling Stone said it was the "most thrilling of the three Harry Potter movies to date" and it set an opening weekend box office record in the UK.

Post-apocalyptic thriller

The Road Warrior, the sequel to Mad Max, can not only boast a rare 100 per cent Rotten Tomatoes rating but also earned the Ebert stamp of approval as "one of the most relentlessly aggressive movies ever made."

On the gentler side is Before Sunset, the wonderfully romantic sequel to Before Sunrise. Set nine years after the original it sees Jesse and Celine (Ethan Hawke and Julie Delpy), the two lovers from the first film, reunited for a ro-

"Give them everything they loved about the first one inside a curveball plot they never could have seen coming."

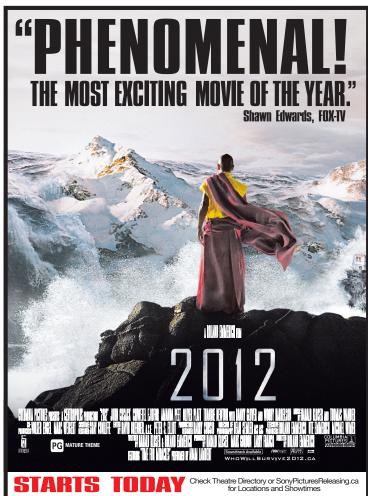
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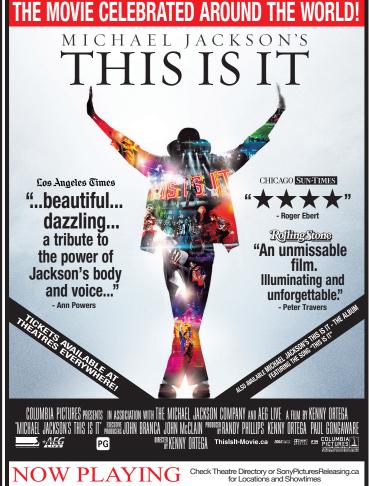
mantic walk through the streets of Paris before he must catch a plane back to the U.S.

Heartfelt and compelling in a way that no mathematical equation could have ever predicted (take that Professor Thorsten Hennig-Thurau!) it contains the sexiest last lines in sequel histony.

"Baby, you are gonna miss that plane," she says. "I know," he replies.

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Raimi searching for Black Cat

Sam Raimi has reportedly been auditioning female actresses to play The Black Cat in Spider Man 4. The director has met with actresses Rachel McAdams and Romala Garai, but is still casting the femme fatale. FEMALEFIRST.CO.UK

# **Reel Time**

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John Cusack's character battles stay alive in a world on the verge of collapse in 2012.

# Apocalypse wow

### 2012

Director: Roland Emmerich Stars: Joh Cusack., Amanda Peet

Classification: PG Rating: @@@

NED EHRBAR Metro World News

Complaining about excess in a Roland Emmerich movie seems a bit silly, but if there's one major problem with 2012, his latest end-of-the-world bonanza, it's that it doesn't know when to say when.

There doesn't seem to be a landmark the director could say no to demolishing, be it Vatican City or the Christ the Redeemer statue in Rio de Janeiro. Even the White House, which Emmerich famously exploded in 1996's Independence Day gets wiped out again, this time by having an aircraft carrier smashed into it.

But it's not just destruction that's in excess. Narratively, 2012 is beyond bloated, with far too many characters and plot threads and far too much set up before getting to what people are really there to see.

There are many obvious sections that could've been excised to bring the running time down from its whopping two hours and 40 minutes.

Valuable screen time is wasted on a pair of aging cruise-ship crooners (George Segal and Blu Mankuma) who only seem to be in the movie to add emotional depth to a main character who has plenty

already (Chiwetel Ejiofor) and as an excuse to show a cruise ship toppled by a tsunami. To be sure, Emmerich does one thing amazingly well, and that's destroy things in the most elaborate ways possible.

And in that respect, 2012 is definitely an achievement. The extended sequence of John Cusack's escape from a crumbling Los Angeles — first by speeding limousine, then by twin-engine plane — is absolutely mindblowing, an actual thrill ride.

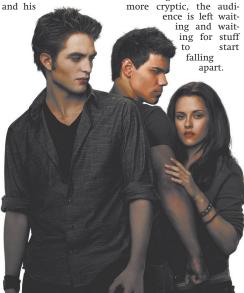
Emmerich peppers the movie with other gems of our heroes literally outrunning destruction, including great set pieces in Las Vegas and Yellowstone National Park.

Unfortunately, there's a whole lot of movie to wade through to get to those moments. After a brisk opening covering the time between Ejiofor's scientist's discovery of the coming cataclysm in 2009

and its early arrival in 2012, the film slows down considerably with the introduction of Cusack's down-on-his-luck writer

glum ex-wife (Amanda Peet).

As the dialogue between science folks and world leaders gets more and more cryptic, the audi-



# Stellar cast keeps Pirate Radio afloat

### Pirate **Radio**

Director: Richard Curtis
Stars: Philip Seymour Hoffman,
Bill Nighy
Classification: STC

STEVE GOW for Metro Canada

Rating: ##1/2

REVIEW When The Boat That Rocked originally hit British theatres last spring, both reviews and reception were about as cool as the North Sea. So director Richard Curtis cut 20 minutes from the flick, re-named it Pirate Radio and is now hoping North American audiences take the bait like hungry sharks.

Known best for penning such romantic comedies as Notting Hill and Love Actually (which he also directed), Curtis here turns to the very loosely-based true story about a ship stocked with DJs who spin outlawed rock 'n' roll all day and all of the night in the mid-60s.

Led by a boisterous American expatriate (Philip Seymour Hoffman), the ragtag group decides to play on even after the British government calls a moratorium on the unregulated transmissions.

However, as fascinating as that true tidbit of recent English history may be, Curtis instead delivers



Bill Nighy stars in the Brit comedy Pirate Radio.

an homage to the 1960s mainly focusing on the music and frivolity of the era — tossing in an overthe-top stuffed-suit (Kenneth Branagh) and lots of free-love antics that will tonally make you seasick.

In that sense, Pirate Radio doesn't broadcast much in the way of a cohesive story but instead delivers a series of random subplots, buddy moments and groovy retro tracks by the likes of The Turtles and The Kinks.

However, with its reedited cut and an undeniably talented cast that is clearly having fun themselves, Pirate Radio stays afloat just long enough to keep from sinking altogether.

# Kunstler's story told

DOC They grew up in a home like no other — where bullets arrived in the mail and where their father went to the basement to

open packages he feared could contain explosives.

That was life for the daughters of the late civil rights lawyer William Kunstler, whose clients ranged from the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. to Sheik Omar Abdel-Rahman and John Gotti. Now, his daughters are telling their stories — and bringing him back to life on film for a new generation.

The documentary, William Kunstler: Disturbing The Universe, by Emily and Sarah Kunstler, is being released at theatres in New York today and Los Angeles this month.

The sisters made the 85-minute film to tell their father's story through the eyes of young girls, who sometimes could not understand his representation of society's most despised. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS



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Billboard's top albums

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1. Play On, Carrie Underwood; 2. Michael Jackson's This Is It (Soundtrack), Michael Jackson; 3. My Christmas, Andrea Bocelli; 4. Glee: The Music, Volume 1, Various Artists; 5. NOW 32, Various Artists. METRO NEWS SERVICES

Music

# Nerd rock with an attitude

# Weezer frontman's quirky creativity wins over fans

BRYAN BORZYKOWSKI for Metro Canada

If there's one thing you can't criticize Weezer for. it's playing too long. Most of the band's albums clock in around 33 minutes, including the group's latest Ratitude. But that's not short enough for frontman Rivers Cuomo.

"We're going to put out albums more frequently, and they might be shorter," he says on the phone from his L.A. studio. "I don't feel like I need 12 song epics anymore — I want my music in smaller

Ratitude, the group's seventh record, isn't the band's most succinct disc that title goes to 2001's 28 minute Green Album but it is Cuomo's quickest record since then. With 10 songs it moves speedily along, which is just how Harvard educated singer-songwriter wants it.

"I'm going by how I listen to music and what I want as a music fan," he explains. "After six songs you say this was really satisfying. Eight songs is cool, but that's enough. Then there's another song. At that point I have to switch.

Of course, if you're going to write an eight or 10 song record, all the tunes have to be good. And that could be a challenge. Ratitude isn't the band's greatest record — Weezer's Blue Album and Pinkerton are still better than his more recent work. Its juvenile lyrics don't do the disc any favours — the song Girl Got Hot is a silly track about a homely girl who turned hot — while musi-cally some of the songs lack the complexity of earlier work.

If he scrapped two or of the mediocre three maybe tunes. Cuomo



Ratitude — the seventh record from nerd rockers Weezer — was released last week.

would have a strong, short disc. (If You're Wondering If I Want You To) I Want You To, the album's title track, is an infectious power pop tune that fits nicely along side Hash Pipe or any of his stronger songs from the last eight years.

still has that quirky creativity that won over fans in the first place. That's ev-Despite some of the less ident on the song Can't

memorable tracks, Cuomo

"We're going to put out albums more frequently, and they might be shorter. I don't feel like I need 12 sona epics anymore — I want my music in smaller doses."

Rivers Cuomo

Stop Partying, with Lil Wayne. It's a bizarre tune, especially Wayne's sluggish rap, but thanks to the genre bending, it's one of the more thought-provoking songs here. "Working with Lil Wayne wasn't weird to me," he says. "The moment I heard him do it, I wrote down every word, memorized it and would rap it to myself."

Maybe Weezer won't just shorten records in the future — the band could change direction all together. A hip-hop album perhaps? "I'd never do a rap album," Cuomo says. "I love rap, but I love melody too"





# Taylor, King to tour

PEOPLE James Taylor and Carole King are going back to their

roots The two singersongwriters say they will go on a long concert tour together next year, recalling the first time they played at Taylor the Troubadour Club in Los Angeles in 1970.

That gig was a milestone, marking King's debut as a solo artist. Taylor had just

recorded Carolina In My Mind and

Something in the Way She Moves Both continued on to award-winning careers. They reunited two

years ago with the

band they used in 1970 for a celebration of the club's 50th anniversary. They enjoyed it so much they wanted to take it on the road. The tour begins in Australia in March.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## In **brief**

**CHARTS** The following is HMV Canada's top 10 CDs based on national sales for the week ending Nov. 14.

- 1. The Circle, Bon Jovi
- 2. This Is It, Michael Jackson
- 3. Crazy Love, Michael Bublé 4. Things We Left Behind, Blue Rodeo
- 5. Play On, Carrie Underwood 6. Greatest Hits, Foo Fighters
- 7. My Christmas, Andrea Bocelli
- 8. Christmas, Johnny Reid 9. Nous, Daniel Belanger
- 10. Much Dance 2010, Various Artists

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1. My Christmas, Andrea Bocelli; 2. Crazy Love, Michael Bublé, left; 3. Things We Things We Left Behind, Blue Rodeo; 4. List, Rosanne Cash; 5. We'll Meet Again: The Very Best Of Vera Lynn, Vera Lynn. METRO NEWS SERVICES



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Music

# Being clear on copyright reform



ast Friday, I chanced upon an op-ed piece in the Toronto Star under the headline Copyright Reform Must Protect Rights of Canadian Artists. If your eyes didn't glaze

over at the phrase "copyright reform," read on.

Three Canadian songwriters, Amy Sky, Marc Jordan and Marie Denise Pelletier, made a plea. Here's the gist: Canadian performers need

to be fairly compensated when their work is copied and used. Things go off the rails when they start quoting

bumpf from Savethelevy.ca, a website exhorting that Canadians be taxed in new and innovative ways for the privilege of copying music for personal use.

This is not new. In 1997, a levy was applied to recordable media (blank cassettes, CD-Rs and Mini-Discs) to compensate artists for this private copying. This is why a spindle of blank CDs costs exponentially more in Canada than in the U.S. Since then, more than \$150 million has been collected and distributed to over 97,000 songwriters, composers, recording artists and other rights holders — and here's the best part —"most of whom would not be able to continue their careers without this revenue."

Legal blogger Howard Knopf pointed out the ridiculousness of this claim back in September. Divide \$150 million by 97,000 and the average payout per rights holder has been about \$130 PER YEAR. Subtract the \$22 million that went to lawyers, auditors, administration and lobbyits and the actual number is even lower.

The Save the Levy people rightly point out that almost no one makes cassette mixtapes anymore and people are burning fewer CDs than in 1997. Therefore, it's time to tax new things.

# "Music fans and consumers need to watch what's being proposed."

Like what? Well, any kind of portable music device to start. Calls for an "iPod tax" are back. How much? I've seen proposals asking for up to \$75 per device. In other words, they want consumers to pay twice: Once with the levy and once for the CD or the download, even if you download that music file directly to your iPod

And why stop there? What about hard drives and USB keys? Don't use them for storing music? Too bad.

Don't get me wrong. Our copyright laws desperately need to change with the times if we're

going to protect artists and intellectual property.
But music fans and consumers need to watch what's being proposed, too.

# Jesus Lizard reborn

Volatile rock act returns to the road 10 years after breakup

CAM LINDSAY for Metro Canada

"Like discovering an old pair of shoes in the back of your closet and putting them on and going, 'They fit perfect and look great! I think I'll go dancing.' Or something like that."

This is the way guitarist Duane Denison explains The Jesus Lizard's reunion, as if it's no big deal. "People had been mentioning it for years and we thought we might be that one band that never does the reunion. But we started getting some good offers and then the label reissued the back catalogue and it just kind of fell into place."

Known for their primal, serpentine post-punk sound and unparalleled gigs led by the unhinged behaviour of inimitable (and sometimes naked) frontman David Yow, the Lollapalooza generation gets to revisit its most volatile act once again.

Denison says being in The Jesus Lizard now, ten years after they called it quits, is in some ways even better than before. "Everything that I always liked about playing with the band is still there, like the momentum, the intensity and all that good stuff. Plus,

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To coincide with The Jesus Lizard's reunion gigs, the band's former label Touch and Go has reissued the group's first four albums.

there was always pressure in the old days: you've got an album out and you want to play well so you can come back. Now we don't think about that stuff. And the money's good, so it's just less of a grind than it used to be. If anything it's been more enjoyable."

To coincide with the reunion, the band's former label Touch and Go has reissued the first four The Jesus Lizard LPs, which helped justify hitting the road once again. "The reissues just kind of happened to fall into the same time period," Denison says. "The reissues were (Touch and Go's) idea, and to remaster it and put goodies like photos, liner notes, bonus tracks, into it that weren't there before."

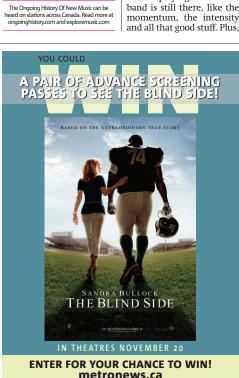
Those are the old records

## "Everything that I always liked about playing with the band is still there."

guitarist Duane Denison

though. A band with as much cult appeal as The Jesus Lizard can't come back from the dead without any sort of promise about what the future holds. Denison, however, seems hesitant to give any definite plans.

"One of the reasons this is going so well is because it's our reunion but also kind of our last go around, the last chance to see us. There's always a part of me that wants to leave the door open because everyone's having a good time together, so who knows, maybe we'll record something or do a special show. But then again, we think let's not do that, let's not milk it, let's end on as good a note as we can."





Whitney's back

Whitney Houston will sing her new ballad, I Didn't Know My Own Strength, and will receive the International Artist Award at the 37th American Music Awards, to be broadcast Nov. 22 on ABC. Houston last performed at the AMAs 10 years ago. EW.COM

# **Television**

# TV's screaming dance diva is stepping out



Dancer, choreographer and So You Think You Can Dance judge Mary Murphy is known for originating the "hot tamale train."

IAN JOHNSTON for Metro Canada

The resident queen of scream on So You Think You Can Dance has some no-nonsense advice for those planning to audition for her TV show in Toronto this weekend.

"If you love the show and think you can bust a move, then by all means, show up. You never know till you try," says Mary Murphy, who splits her time between a guest stint on SYTYCD Canada and a full-time gig as a judge on the original American ver-

"But it's a long day," she warns. "So stay hydrated. Bring lots of healthy snacks. And stay warm. I've seen too many dancers who waited in line all day, got up in front of us and had a terrible cramp."

Murphy, a veteran dancer and choreographer,

has lately seen her fame increase exponentially.

A show standout for her screaming comments and odd catch phrases (such as putting good contestants on "the hot tamale train"), she recently appeared in US Weekly and on Larry King Live, talking about a troubled past marriage. She's also featured in a new Coca Cola ad now playing in movie theatres. "I'm in a new stratosphere now," says Murphy,

"I'm in a new stratosphere now," says Murphy, who also finds time to appear on SYTYCD spinoffs in countries like Australia and Norway.

"But if I didn't like it, I wouldn't be doing what I do," she adds.

She says fans on the street tend to mimic her scream or offer their own hot tamale train versions, complete with arm movements and sound effects.

"I think I disappoint people and journalists I meet because I won't put them on the hot tamale train," she says. "I want to keep it

### Get your shoes on

\* Auditions for the third season of So You Think You Can Dance Canada begin Saturday in Toronto. Details of East Coast auditions have yet to be announced. If you're keen to show them what you've got, visit dance.ctv.ca for details.

special. I don't say it easily.

Murphy sees little difference between dancers who audition in Canada and those in the U.S.

"The talent is still there. But I was surprised at the number of hip hop and b-boys in Canada. And there does seem to be a lot of great ballroom dancers from Montreal, which also surprised me," she says.

"The great thing about the show is that you find these gems, these great dancers, who come from nowhere. That's thrilling."

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# Actors Livingston, DeWitt married

HOLLYWOOD PAIR Ron Livingston and Rosemarie DeWitt have tied the knot.

Office Space star Livingston, 42, and Rachel Getting Married actress DeWitt, 35, were married Nov. 2 in San Francisco, according to Livingston's spokeswoman.

Livingston and DeWitt appeared together as crisis negotiation partners in Fox's short-lived drama Standoff.

Livingston also appeared in The Time Traveler's Wife and the ABC series Defying Gravity earlier this year.

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# **Television**

# The world of the paranoidal Skate series finalists

Sci-fi remake imagines society under constant surveillance

### It's disarming to meet a knight in Chuck Taylors.

It's also highly appropriate for Sir Ian McKellen to dress so casual-cool for our interview as he promotes The Prisoner, a brilliant new miniseries that manipulates appearance and perception while deftly delving into themes of paranoia in a seemingly civilized, but truly authori-

tarian, society.
"Individual's place in society, surveillance, the knowledge the authorities have on you simply because you carry a cell-phone..." — McKellen ratphone..." — McKellen rat-tles off the heady topics The Prisoner examines.

"They know everything that's in that phone, every thing you've said, every message you've sent. You cannot delete a message did you know that?"

McKellen is the man behind the conspiracies, not the one pondering them, in The Prisoner. He plays Two, the leader of a mysterious modern-day utopian society where everyone is known by a number, not a

It's called the Village, and when New Yorker Michael (Jim Caviezel) wakes up in the strange, resort-like town, disoriented and de-

"The tears came 'cause I felt like we didn't just get out of this project. We did great."

Actor Jim Caviezel

manding a way out, he is told there is no out. There is no New York. And, by the way, he is Number Six.

After portraying Jesus in the brutal, bloody Passion of the Christ, Jim Caviezel knows what it takes to bring a gruelling role to

And no matter how much playing the tortured hero in The Prisoner drained him, Caviezel refused to give any less than what it took to make the miniseries a work of art.

"If The Prisoner had just been a random thing, I would have taken the scripts, learned all my material, showed up for work and said, 'OK, there it is," the actor says. "But we had to make it better."

That kind of dedication - he worked 92

of the 96



In The Prisoner, Ian McKellen plays Two, leader of a mysterious civilization in which everyone is known only by a number.

the shoot — took a toll on the actor.

"When it was done, the last day, I remember I threw on a Christmas song by the Beach Boys — I'm dreaming of a white Christmas — and I'm sitting there, listening to Brian Wilson sing, and I just ... argh!" He yells abruptly in a show of relief.

"The tears came 'cause I felt like we didn't just get out of this project. We did great ... We were great.

A remake of a British series from the 1960s. The Priser is a mental chess match between McKellen and Caviezel. It's a terrifying meditation on freedom versus conformity and state control.

"Six and Two are closer than they think," explains McKellen. "Still, they McKellen. don't stop arguing and battling and fighting it out thank God not physically, because I'd lose every single one of those.

# enjoying the glide

SHOWDOWN Coaches and finalists on CBC-TV's Battle of the Blades say the successful show, which concludes Sunday and Monday, has been a long, draining expe-rience with plenty of ups, downs and surprises.

Lemieux, Claude Stéphane Richer and Craig Simpson are the remaining men in the competition, which pairs former NHLers with female figure skaters. Coach Paul Martini, a for-

mer world champion, says would never have guessed, at the outset, that the men would be doing what they're doing now, including full overhead lifts with their partners.

Another coach, Olympic pairs gold medallist David Pelletier, savs it was clear

from the start that all eight men took the competition and their training very seri-

Pelletier says no one wanted to get eliminated or iced, as they say on the show — and the rivalries have grown intense.

Pelletier's Olympic part-ner and wife, Jamie Salé, is teamed up with Simpson, a former Edmonton Oiler, and says she's been amazed by the hockey veteran's perseverance, even after bad falls early on.

"I think I've come a long way," Simpson said Thurs-

"(Salé) is the same great skater she's always been, but fortunately, some of it has rubbed off on me.

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## Trailer Park Boys take a pleasant trip in new project for Showcase

ADDICTIVE TV The Trailer Park Boys are going to get high again. Mike Smith, Robb Wells and J.P.

Tremblay of Trailer Park Boys will play multi-

ple characters in a new Showcase series called The Drunk and On Drugs Happy Funtime Hour. The network has ordered episodes to air in 2010.

The series will centre on the cast of a fictional children's show, including Smith, Wells and Tremblay, who accidentally ingest an addictive hallucinogen

mixed by a character played by Rush guitarist Alex Lifeson.
As the series unfolds.

the characters will contend with hallucichildren's show characters, a dysfunctional

crime family that runs the town, and a dangerous cult. THE CANADIAN

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Lou Dobbs announces departure from CNN, destination unknown

CNN host Lou Dobbs began his news and commentary show tonight with the announcement that he's leaving the news network. Dobbs did not say where he plans to go after he completes nearly 30 years at CNN. EW.COM

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When: Sunday, 7:30 p.m. Where: Rebecca Cohn

The English punk/folk singer brings his world tour to Halifax. Call 494-3820 for tickets

### **Extinction Song**

When: Sunday, 2 p.m.

Where: Windsor Theatre The new play by Cape Breton writer Ron Jenkins explores the relationship between seven-year-old James and his alcoholic fa-

ther. Tickets can be bought

# at easternfronttheatre.com What We're Made

Of When: Friday, 7 p.m. Where: The Company House, Gottingen St.

Halifax author Turner launches his first book

## **Poor Boy**

When: Friday, 7 p.m. Where: The Music Room, 6181 Lady Hammond Rd.

A number of great artists including the cast of Poor Boy will perform. Tickets are \$35 and include your CD. Call 489-9872

## Metro's 7th Heaven: Metro taps what's hot right now

Under the Dome: Stephen King BOOK The master of horror weaves political allegory into his latest offering — a whopping 1,072-page rewrite of a novel King attempted to pen twice in the '70s and '80s. This time, the thrills are set in Chester's Mill, Maine, which

suddenly finds itself surrounded by an invisible but impermeable barrier.

### **Pirate Radio**

FILM When the British government stole rock 'n' roll from '60s kids by banning songs on radio, renegade DJs on floating vessels snatched it right back by airing the music on contraband stations. Richard Curtis' new comedy tells the story of these offshore AM firebrands. You can't sink this

Call of Duty: Modern Warfare 2 GAME Any war game would be a fitting release during Remembrance Week. But it's even more apt since Modern Warfare 2 immerses gamers into a detailed, exhilarating world of combat that doesn't hide its horrors. Already a massive hit in its work of release, the title has also generated some controversy around a scene where the chief character goes undercover as a terrorist and kills civilians.

Star Trek

DVD There have been bigger moneymakers this summer, but none deserved more popcorn-munching than this franchise reboot. The casting was bang-on, the script was intelligent — heck, even Leonard Nimov was back. But will it deliver on the small screen? You be the judge.

Them Crooked Vultures: Them Crooked Vultures ALBUM This might just be a "fun" project for those in-

volved but to the rock fan, they are the Supergroup of

the Year. The Vultures comprise Dave Grohl (of The Foo Fighters), Josh Homme (of Queens of the Stone Age) and even former Led Zeppelin bassist John Paul Jones.

**The Prisoner** 

IV Roll over HBO. AMC is ready to take over the world of cable channels. Hot on the heels of the Mad Men. season finale comes this three-part series — a re-imagining of the '60s classic. Critics can't seem to find enough praise for the drama. The Prisoner airs Sunday through Tuesday at 8 p.m.

**Linden MacIntyre** AUTHOR The CBC journalist won Canada's top literary prize this week for his second novel The Bishop's Man. MacIntyre, who is best known for his work with the The Fifth Estate, took home the \$50,000 Giller Prize.

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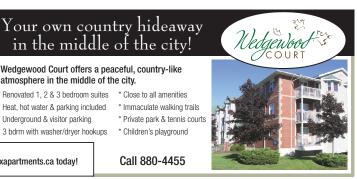
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A painting by pop artist Andy Warhol, 200 One Dollar Bills, brought US\$43.8 million at auction, more than three times its highest presale estimate of \$12 million. The piece was one of Warhol's first silk-screen paintings. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# **Entertainment**

Something not right in Springfield?

Behind-the-scenes Simpsons book questions the Matt Groening creative-genius legend

In the world of The Simpsons, politicians are sleazy crooks, teachers are dispassionate drones and police officers are comically incompetent.

During the ongoing run of more than 20 years on the air, the creators of the Simpson clan have created an empire out of collectively mocking authority and poking a finger in the eye of the establishment.

But when Toronto native John Ortved began investibehind-thegating the scenes history of the show for his book, The Simpsons: An Uncensored, Unauthorized History, the longtime fan came to realize that The Simpsons has become a tightly guarded, rigid establishment of its own.

"(Simpsons producer) Iames L. Brooks drafted a letter to everybody who had worked on The Simpsons ever — everyone who was working on the show and everyone who had worked on the show asking them not to speak to me," Ortved told The Canadian Press in an interview at his parents' home in Toronto.

"They did make it quite hard for me "

Yet over the objections of Brooks and series creator Matt Groening, Ortved was able to gather more than 80 interviews for an expansive history of the longest-running sitcom of all time.

Groening has long been considered the creative ge-

nius behind The Simpsons, its ubiquitous titular family, the wacky denizens of Springfield who orbit them, and the pointed, rapid-fire social satire that is the show's stock in

But one of the central revelations of Ortved's book is just how erroneous that assump-

"If there's a controversial. element to the book, it's that these writers and pro-ductold me

that Matt Groening has either taken or received too much credit over the past 20 years," Ortved said.

In fact, Ortved argues, the show's tremendous success happened because of a conglomerate of talented creators.

There was Brooks, who lent the show its emotional heft and without

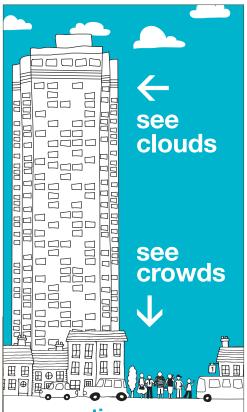
whom it nevwould have made it to the air. There was Gyorgyi Peluce, the colour designer who decided to make the Simpsons yellow

Marge's hair blue. And then there was Sam Simon, a grizzled, cigarchomping TV vet who created many of the show's colourful characters assembled the initial group of Harvardreared writers. and poured over every script, tweaking each line for maximum impact.



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Actress condemns newborn son to lifelong teasing

It's a boy for Ashley Jensen and her husband, actor Terence Beesley. The Accidentally on Purpose actress welcomed son Francis Jonathan Beesley on Oct. 20, her rep confirms to People. METRO NEWS SERVICES

# **Celebrity Buzz**

# Jon and I don't deserve bad press: Levi

BUT NEITHER OF YOU WILL WIN DADDY OF THE YEAR Levi Johnston says he has a lot in common with Jon Gos-

"He's a good guy," Johnston told People. "He's kind of in the same situation I am right now. He's a good dad and he gets a lot of bad press. He's getting the same bad image as I am and it ain't true. I can relate to that.'

Johnston, 19, who met Gosselin in New York on Nov. 8, even received some parenting tips from the dad of eight, which might come in handy if the Alaskan wins his suit to gain joint custody of his child with Bristol Palin.

"He was very positive and gave some good advice that I'm going to take," Johnston said. "He told me kids are number one and do anything you can for them.

Johnston says if he were

joint custody, he'd create a healthy and normal home environment for his son, Tripp. "He'll be living a good life on both Bristol's and on my side. No prob-lem with that," Johnston said. "We're both doing re al well. He's going to be okay. don't do all

this stuff for free. I've been making money.

so I can handle it and pay for all the costs of having my son. There's nothing to worry about. I've taken care of my responsibilities." One of the ways he's making money is posing nude for Playgirl.

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# Jacko got scanned to build a virtual clone of himself

wanted to build a clone of himself, femalefirst.co.uk reports. The singer - who died of acute Propofol intoxication aged 50 in June — underwent several three-dimensional scans in 1996 so a virtual reality robotic twin could be produced. It is thought the scans

could now be used to bring the singer back in pop videos, computer games or even films.

The anonymous U.S. businessman who owned the images and has reportedly been trying to sell them for \$1 million US told Britain's Daily Star newspaper: "The data has

our been in archives since he had the The thing about this data is it immortalized him at the age of 37, before his nose was disfigured and when he was in the prime of his life.

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# Tyson arrested after paparazzo scuffle

MAYBE IT'S US, BUT SCUFFLING WITH MIKE TYSON **DOESN'T SOUND TOO SMART** Mike Tyson found himself in the back of a police car after getting into a scuffle with a photographer at Los Angeles International Airport, according to TMZ. Sources claim they saw blood on the floor near the United Airlines ticket counter where the scuffle took place. Police tell the site that both Tyson and the photographer performed citizen's arrests on each other. A rep for the former heavyweight champion

says he was just trying to pro-10-month-old tect his daughter from an overly aggressive paparazzo. Tyson was reportedly released on \$20,000 US bail after being booked.

METRO WORLD

# **Ungaro calls Lindsay's** collection a 'disaster'

OUCH! Lindsay Lohan received a lot of criticism for her the collection she curated last month for fashion house Ungaro, but this has got to hurt the most. The house's founder, Emanuel Ungaro,

has spoken out, saying the collection "was a disaster," according to the Agence French Presse.

> 'I'm furious but there isn't a thing I can do. I have absolutely no house," said Ungaro, who sold his company to an investment firm in

2005. Ungaro said the house he founded is "well on its way to losing its



# Sharon's sorry for picking on Susan

IT'S NOT LIKE SHARON'S A SU-PERMODEL EITHER Sharon Osbourne has taken to her Twitter account to apologize for saying Britain's Got Talent sensation Susan Boyle was hit with "the ugly stick." While stopping by a

radio show last Osmonth. bourne was asked about Boyle and

com-

mented, "You just want to say God bless and here's a Gillette razor." But now she's changed her tune, posting, "Susan Boyle is a lovely gracious woman and I took advantage of that by poking fun at her. I would never want to be responsible for hurting Susan and I must apologize for getting a cheap laugh at her expense."

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soon': Wynonna COUNTRY CATFIGHT On Wednesday, Taylor Swift became the youngest artist ever to win the Country Music Association Awards' top honour: Entertainer of the Year. But Wynonna Judd doesn't think Swift, 19, is ready for such a top honour, us-

Swift's success is

'too much too

magazine.com reports. "You want my honest comment? It's too much too soon," the singer told USA Today before the show. "Time is God's way of keeping everything from happening at once. It's just too much of a good thing too soon." Judd, 45, added: "My thing is, being a home-school mom, I want kids to earn it,

and I think some time 'cause mom and I rode in a car for the first year of our career to visit radio stations. There was a making of the star, there was a rising up, and the fans went with us.

"Now it's over coffee breaks, the success, almost," she added. "You have to play catch up ... It's like the girl who

wins an Oscar and she's under 20. What do you do from here?"

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# Molly comes to Josh's defense

OT OVERLY CONVINCING As he battles allegations that he's been cheating on wife Fergie, Josh Duhamel at least has someone in his corner. His former Las Vegas co-star Molly Sims is coming to his defense. "Don't believe everything you read," Sims tells E! News. "We emailed yesterday. It's absolutely not true - and he's a great guy. I've worked with him for five vears. METRO WORLD NEWS

# Amy's got a thing for ping-pong IS GOOD Amy Winehouse has found something new to obsess over:

"She barely leaves the house," a source tells the Mirror. Winehouse purchased the game for her London home and has become such a fan that she's reportedly throwing pingpong parties. METRO

her new ping-pong table.

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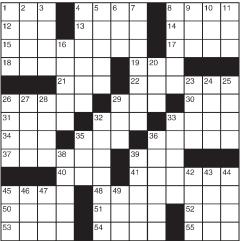


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### Sudoku

HOW TO PLAY: Digits 1 through 9 will appear once in each zone - one zone is an outlined 3x3 grid within the larger puzzle grid. There are nine zones in the puzzle. Do not enter a digit into a box if it already appears elsewhere in the same zone, row across or column down the entire puzzle.

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- family? 32 Clear the tables 33 Pleased 34 Blackbird
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- 40 "That tastes awful!'

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- 50 Hawkeye's home 51 Touch
- 52 Showbiz job 53 Air for a pair 54 Conks out

# 55 Inseparable

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- ety 5 Inducing goosebumps 6 Preceding 7 Felt hats
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- song 11 Crafty 16 Stashes

PREVIOUS DAY'S CROSSWORD AND SUDOKU ANSWERS:

20 Mardi Gras VIP 23 Naval base? 24 Exam format

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- 39 Fight verbally 42 Therefore 43 Halter attachment
- 44 Advantage 45 "The Price Is Right" guess 46 "Skip to My-
- 47 Have a bill 49 Japanese sash

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# **Take Five**



## Chargrilled **Vegetable Feast**

### INGREDIENTS:

- 1 large zucchini, sliced into rings 1 eggplant, sliced into rings
- 1 red pepper, cut into wide strips
- 1 yellow pepper, cut into wide strips 1 red onion, cut into thin wedges
- 5 tbsp (75 ml) olive oil 2 garlic cloves, crushed 1/2 cup (125 ml) pine nuts or walnuts
- 14 oz (400 g) tagliatelle 4 tbsp (60 ml) pesto 7 oz (200 g) feta cheese,

### METHOD:

1. Preheat broiler to medium-high. Put vegetables in large bowl and drizzle with oil. Add garlic and season with pepper. Mix, then spread vegetables out in grill pan. Broil 20-25 minutes or until lightly

charred, turning from time to time and removing vegetables that are cooked before rest. 2. While vegetables are cooking, put nuts in dry pan and toast over medium heat, tossing regularly, 2-3 minutes or until golden brown. Tip onto plate and set aside.

3. Towards end of broiling, cook pasta according to package instructions until al dente. Drain thoroughly and return to pot. 4. Add vegetables and pesto to pasta. Add feta cheese and nuts. Gently toss everything together and serve immediately.

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For nutritional infor mation on this and other great recipes, go to **rd.ca** or check out Key Ingredients



## Horoscopes by Sally Brompton sallybrompton.com For Sally's expanded daily and weekend horoscopes, visit metronews.ca

### **ARIFS** MARCH 21-APRIL 20

You may not want to cause a fuss but if you let others get away with things they don't deserve to get away with today you will regret it later.

# SEPT 23-OCT 23

You seem to believe that if you don't grab as much as you can of what's on offer today you will miss out and regret it.

### **TAURUS**

APRIL 21-MAY 21 The best way to deal with an emotional issue is to ignore it. According to your solar chart what you think is a problem is not a problem at all.

### **SCORPIO** OCT 24-NOV 22

You may feel a bit out of sorts at the moment but you really have precious little to worry about or get worked up about

### **GEMINI**

On the web

MAY 22-JUNE 21 The Sun in the work and wellbe ing area of your chart urges you to take things easy, but other aspects suggest you feel obliged to get certain tasks done.

## **SAGITTARIUS**

NOV 23-DEC 21
You are not usually the cautious sort but for some reason you are reluctant to take risks, and that's good because you really don't need to.

### CANCER JUNE 22-JULY 22

Today's cosmic alignment could make you a bit too free and easy with your money. It's not often you go on a spree for the fun of it.

# CAPRICORN

Good news will come your way over the next 24 hours but you need to be on your guard because not everything you hear will be on the level.

### LEO JULY 23-AUG 23

You'll feel a bit vulnerable to-day, thanks to cosmic activity in your chart, but that is not an excuse to retreat from the world.

## **AQUARIUS**

JAN 21-FEB 18
It may be tempting to withhold your affections from someone who has offended you but will that really do any good?

### VIRGO AUG 24-SEPT 22

It's possible that your imagina tion will play tricks on you today and make you believe that certain things in your life are going wrong when they aren't.

# **PISCES**

You need more laughs in your life, but from where? You can-not expect other people to make you feel good when your

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## This day in history

1954: Great Britain defeats France to capture the first ever Rugby League World Cup in Paris in front of around 30,000 spectators. 1956: The United States Supreme Court declares Alabama and Montgomery, Alabama laws requiring segregated buses illegal, thus ending the Montgomery Bus Boycott.

1961: Vladimir Yefimovich Semichastny succeeds Aleksandr Nikolayevich Shelepin as head of the KGB.

1965: The SS Yarmouth Castle burns and sinks 60 miles off Nassau with the loss of 90 lives.

1969: Vietnam War: Anti-war protesters in Washington, D.C. stage a symbolic March Against Death.



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